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Have the city elections anything to do with the parking survey report being withheld?

China Seeks Peace

Hints to India At Negotiation

NEW YORK, Dec 9 (AP)—The New York Times tonight quoted reliable diplomatic sources at Lake Success as saying Chinese Communist leader Mao Tze-tung has informed India that China is ready to negotiate with the West on Korea on the basis of full equality at the conference table.

Mao also was reported to have insisted that any discussions with the West take up all the major Far Eastern questions, which would include Formosa.

The information told The Times that Mao's terms were given to the Indian ambassador in Peiping, Fardar K M Panikkar. The report reportedly was told by Mao that China maintains the position that the case of Korea cannot be isolated, but must be considered along with Formosa and other Far Eastern controversies.

Mao was said to have included the Soviet Union as one of the powers he expects to be represented at any talks Red China might have with the United States and Britain.

END FIGHTING

The Times' story on Mao's reported terms for negotiations came shortly after Sir Benegal N Rau, chief Indian delegate to the United Nations, had disclosed the Peiping regime had indicated a desire to end the fighting in Korea "as early as possible".

Mao was said to have stressed to Panikkar that he expects the Chinese Red regime, in any discussions with the West, not only to have a full and equal voice with the other powers but also to be treated as the Government of China.

Diplomatic sources here were said not to be optimistic over the conditions which Mao reportedly laid down, since carrying them out would amount to indirect recognition of Communist China by the United States and a demand for unified settlement in the Far East.

Ship Damaged By "Crackpot"

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec 8 (AP)—Military officials said today that damage to a naval transport in the Seattle harbor, first reported by the navy to be full-scale sabotage, was actually the work of a "malicious crackpot."

Capt. M. E. Eaton, commander of the Military Transport Service, said damage to the vessel—the 13,000-ton Marine Phoenix—totaled only $200.

Navy authorities said six auxiliary electric motors aboard the ship had been damaged with a spike or ice pick thrust into the armature wires. The tampering would have caused the motors to short, leaving them inoperative. At least one of the motors was connected with the ship's water system, navy spokesmen report.

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Accidents Follow Driverless Tow Job and Car Theft

Finally coming to grief after a wild ride, a driverless logging truck came to rest in this position after being moved 200 feet by another truck. Driver of the front truck, William F. Pearn, 1428 Hillside Avenue, thought the heavy logging truck behind was occupied.

This stolen light panel truck rests on the steps of First United Church, Quadra Street, after striking three parked cars. Following a wild chase by residents of owner Joseph Mensird, 3859 Cedar Hill Road, one of the two men who had been in the truck was arrested when he tried to escape after the collision. Nabbed by Robert Curran of the Royal Auto Sales, the young man, reported to be a sailor, was charged in police office last night.

Canadian-Covered Evacuation of Port Called Top Naval Task Since Inchon

OTTAWA, Dec 9 (CP)—The navy told today how a United Nations destroyer force under Canadian command covered the sea evacuation of Chinnampo North Korean port, and then shelled the harbor.

It was the biggest naval job on the Korean West Coast since the Inchon invasion and despite lack of enemy fire, it was a hazardous undertaking. But there were no Canadian casualties.

The six destroyers that covered the Tuesday withdrawal of about 7,000 United Nations soldiers and Koreans included Canada's Cayuga. Athabaskan and Sioux all under Capt. J. V. Brock, commanding officer Jerry Brock commanding officer of the Canadian group. The other vessels were the Australian Warramunga and Batan and the United States Perseus, Royal.

From Chinnampo, port of the North Korean capital of Pyongyang, transports carried out the withdrawal of wounded and civilians, while tank landing ships took on army personnel and equipment. They were moved to a base farther south.

TROOPS, CIVILIANS

About 1,500 United States troops and 1,000 Korean civilians were taken out in the warships. Thousands more Koreans fled from the advancing Reds in junks under cover of the destroyers.

The navy gave this account of the operation:

The operation was initiated with startling suddenness on Monday afternoon, while the warships were on blockade patrols farther north. A message was received instructing them to proceed to the approaches to Chinnampo to stand by to assist in an emergency underway from the city.

An emergency signal, received just after dark, set the next phase of the operation in motion. The commander of the attack transports and LST's which had gone into Chinnampo earlier in the day, reported the situation in the city extremely grave. Reporting that he was without either, he requested immediate assistance.

"URGENTLY NEEDED"

"Destroyers urgently needed to give support by gunfire and sea utility, protecting withdrawal of ships from enemy attack" his message concluded.

But between the warships and the city lay 40 miles of tortuous navigation through a twisting channel in places only 500 yards wide, with bordering mudflats shifting mudbanks and treacherous shoals.

The six destroyers began the passage — the Warramunga reported she had run aground on a mud-bank.

A half hour later the Sioux, pushing cautiously through the pitch black night, ran aground in getting free, she foulled a buoy and was slightly damaged.

Both the Warramunga and the Sioux extricated themselves and withdrew to seaward.

The other destroyers carried on and at 3 a.m. lookouts in the leading ship sighted the docks and warehouses of Chinnampo looming dimly in the darkness.

Capt. Brock dispatched his ships and with their crews closed up at action stations. They waited for the dawn and possible enemy attacks.

That day the transports were heated with wounded, Republic of Korea refugees and port personnel. Altogether about 1,000 personnel were withdrawn.

The enemy failed to interrupt the loading and withdrawal and when the last ship had left the port, Capt. Brock decided to remain at anchor for another night, retaining the Batan and Perseus Royal and sending the Athabaskan to maintain a defended anchorage at the mouth of the river leading to Chinnampo.

The next day, after covering the remaining evacuees out of the military area, his ships shelled storage tanks, dock and harbor installations and ingots dumps. The commercial and residential sections of the town were unscathed.

Boy Hits Bus, Brother Dies

TAMPA, Fla., Dec 8 (AP)—Thirteen-year-old Russell Davis, driving the family car without permission, crashed into a bus today, killing his six-year-old brother Ronald.

Arming of Atlantic Nations Covered in Colonist Series

PRIME Minister Clement Attlee's visit in the past week to Washington and Ottawa serves to highlight present arming by Atlantic Pact nations against possible Russian aggression.

Their action, impelled by necessity despite their prayers for a lasting peace, prompts a timely series of articles by Kingsbury Smith, European general manager of International News Service.

"Can Europe Arm in Time?" is the title of—and the vital question posed by—this series. Read it, beginning Tuesday, in The Daily Colonist.

Colonist Marks 92 Years Of Unbroken Publication

TODAY'S edition of The Colonist carries a significant date line: No. 308—Ninety-Second Year. The next edition Tuesday morning will be No. 1—Ninety-Third Year.

The actual birthday of The Colonist is tomorrow, December 11. But because there is no paper Monday morning, this edition—completing 92 years of unbroken publication—is being used to mark the birthday.

Please turn to page 7. With both pride and humility, The Colonist takes a look at itself, its trials, its accomplishments and its place in the community it serves.

Trap Victims Fight Clear To Join Relief Forces

Combined Columns Face 39-Mile Gantlet to Sea

TOKIO, Dec 10 (Sunday) (AP)—Twenty thousand United States Marines and soldiers, fighting a bloody retreat from Changjin reservoir, today joined forces with a relieving army task force striking inland from Korean east coast.

The combined force thus faced a 39-mile gantlet drive along a road lined most of the way with Chinese Communist troops to the port of Hungnam.

Major-Gen. Edward M. Almond, commander of the U.S. 10th Corps, announced (in a purposely delayed communique) that the retreating 1st Division Marines and 7th Infantry Division soldiers linked up yesterday with the task force of the 3rd Infantry Division.

VITAL BRIDGE

AP Correspondent Tom Hoape said the linkup made about south of Kilo, could not be completed until a down bridge had been repaired.

The linkup was effected at 4:30 p.m. yesterday (11:30 p.m. PST) Friday, by elements of the First Marine Division's First Regiment and the Third Division's task force. Repair of the down bridge operated the way for the Marine Division's 5th and 7th Regiments and the 31st and 32nd Regiments of the Army's 7th Division to cross the river, mounted on detail maps and join the relieving task force.

UNDER RED FIRE

The marines and soldiers fought through an ever-narrowing ring gantlet to the River. They fought their way here by the thousands all the way. The river crossing was under Red fire.

Almond's communique said rescues are expected by the Marine Air Wing, "and air force planes made major roles in the successful operation."

American bombers and bomb-carrying warplanes hammered at Red troops and supply lines moving north toward the first rapids of Pochangjin.

On the warring Central front, Allied patrols reported the running effect of an 18-division Red force pulling up for an expected assault on 17-Eighth Army defenses, positions 24 miles south of Pyongyang.

Many Korean civilians fled from Red-held Kaesong, south of the Eighth Army front, for point farther south.

General Ridgway, top Allied position in Korea, at the moment was in the northeast where reports place for a mass evacuation through Hungnam spread along the hard-pressed Allied line. Allied authorities neither confirmed nor denied this.

General Almond however confirmed abandonment of the port of Wonsan, in the south, saying its parts were no longer needed and Hungnam was the better.

Attlee Meeting Cheers Leader

OTTAWA, Dec 9 (CP)—Prime Minister Attlee and his Canadian colleagues after a two-hour conference with Prime Minister Clement Attlee of Britain "the information I have is that the United Nations are not going to be driven out of Korea."

"We had a very satisfactory interview with Mr Attlee," the Canadian Prime Minister added. "All of us in the Cabinet feel quite convinced by the information given to us by him and the chief of the Imperial General Staff after their conference in Ottawa."

Mr Attlee who flew here today after conferences with President Truman was less talkative.

When reporters asked if he could make any comment on his meeting with the Canadian Cabinet, he replied: "Not at the moment I think that's one."

Mr Attlee arrived fresh from conversations with President Truman about the broad implications of the world dispute against Communism.

TWO MEETINGS

Today he conferred for 30 minutes with Mr St Laurent in his office. Then he and Mr St Laurent joined the Cabinet in the Privy Council Room for William Slim, chief of the Imperial General Staff was with Mr Attlee during both interviews.

After the conference Mr St Laurent said:

"I'm not a military man but the information I have is that the UN is now going to be driven out of Korea."

Mr Attlee may remain until Monday. He was given a state dinner tonight by the Canadian Cabinet.

Besides meeting with Canadian Government leaders, Attlee tomorrow he will make a country-wide broadcast and hold a press conference.

The British Prime Minister was met at Uplands airfield here today when the RCAF plane flying him from Washington landed at Rockcliffe airport.

Prime Minister St Laurent was first to greet him airforceman flood 18 rounds and a 100-man RCAF guard of honour stood in attention.

PERILS OF KOREA

Authoritative sources said the agenda of talks between the two men include the immediate perils of Korea and the related perils of large-scale war with China.

But the talks would go beyond that into the broad realm of Commonwealth ties, to the movement to build up the defences of Western Europe and the need of strategic materials.

Attlee and Canadian and British officials appear to be pretty well in line on aspects of the situation in Korea and in all possible efforts to negotiate with the Chinese at the suitable moment.

Acheson Cools Critics With Report on Talks

WASHINGTON, Dec 8 (AP)—Secretary of State Acheson won approval today from congressional foreign policy leaders that the Truman-Attlee "no appeasement" conference has advanced the cause of the free world.

Acheson gave somewhat bottle

And when his two-hour closed-door session with the lawmakers was over, a joint statement issued by Senator Chairman Connally (D., Tex.) and Senator Wiley R. Wis. ranking G.O.P. committee member said:

"One thing was clear is that the British and American positions are substantially closer together than would have appeared a week ago. We are convinced that the cause of the free world has been considerably advanced by the conversations between the President and the Prime Minister".

Senate and House Foreign Relations committees a frank and detailed review of the discussions between President Truman and British Prime Minister Attlee. He stressed conference has advanced the cause of the free world.

Say Franco To Demand Gibraltar

LONDON, Dec 9 (AP)—Reuters News Agency reported from Madrid tonight that Generalissimo Francisco Franco is expected tomorrow to demand the return of Gibraltar to Spain.

The news agency quoted "usually well informed sources" in the Spanish capital as saying that Franco will stress the "legal right" which Spain has to the rock fortress guarding the mouth of the Mediterranean.

Reuters said Franco will make the demands in Arriba, the official Falangist party newspaper.

Earlier this week Spanish officials in Madrid called for "Gibraltar for the Spaniards."

There have been previous reports that the Spanish dictator would demand Gibraltar as an inducement to join the Western camp in the fight against Communism.

Seoul Future Undecided

UNITED STATES EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, Korea, Dec 11 (Sunday) (AP)—A high-ranking Eighth Army spokesman said today "the 8th Army has made no commitments of whether Seoul will be defended."

The Korean Republic capital of more than 1,000,000 is 35 miles south of Parallel 38 and about 80 air miles south of the newly-formed 8th Army defence line in Northwest Korea.

Binding Terms Awaited

Rail Dispute Settlement To Be Final This Week

OTTAWA, Dec 8 (CP)—Final settlement terms in the multi-million-dollar railway wage dispute will be laid down next week, probably Wednesday or Thursday.

The decision now is being whipped into final shape by Mr. Justice R. L. Kellock of the Supreme Court of Canada, named by the governments to resolve points at issue in the dispute that touched off last August a nine-day general railway strike.

Under government legislation that ended the walkout, the terms of the disputed matters, chiefly the amount of a wage increase and its effective date for the about 200,000 men employed by the railways and other unions representing 124,000 men.

But while his decision will write an end to that particular controversy, it will have repercussions in two other directions.

1. The railways are expected to apply almost immediately for a general freight rate hike—either by the additional charge

2. Negotiations on a wage increase might be about 40,000 other railway men, who will be resigned.

St. Laurent Greets Attlee in Ottawa

AP Wirephoto

Prime Minister Clement Attlee and Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent are shown exchanging greetings as Attlee arrived at Rockcliffe RCAF airport at Ottawa yesterday. Field Marshal Sir William Slim, Chief of the Imperial General Staff, is in the center.

The Weather

FORECAST

Victoria, City Closely and mild, will a few sunny intervals light winds.

High Today 50.

Rainfall Yesterday 0.12 inch.

Monday Outlook—Cloudy and less mild.

COLONIST READINGS

Downtown	Max	Min
	67	54

TEMPERATURES

	Max	Min	Precip
Dawson	32	10	.05
Prince Rupert	48	44	.08
Vancouver	50	44	.05
Victoria	50	44	.12
Penticton	50	34	.01
Prince George	44	32	.01
Kamloops	44	32	Trace
Edmonton	32	14	.01
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Medicine Hat	34	14	Trace
Regina	32	14	.01
Winnipeg	28	10	.01
Toronto	44	34	.01
Ottawa	42	28	.01
Montreal	38	28	.01
Fredericton	32	18	.01
Halifax	34	28	.01
St. John	34	28	.01
Bermuda	68	64	.01
Vancouver	50	44	.05
Seattle	50	44	.01
Portland	50	44	.01
San Francisco	54	48	.01
Los Angeles	60	54	.01
New York	48	44	.01

ALL ABOARD

By G. E. Mortimore

Do you rate in the social scale, or not? You can find out by reading a passport application form.

Before a Canadian can get a passport, someone must vouch for him. The person who vouches—called the guarantor—must be chosen from among several professions. If he doesn't work in the right job, his word isn't acceptable.

According to the Department of External Affairs, the only people who count in a community are these:

"Mayor, police magistrate, police officer, postmaster, collector of customs, minister of religion, barrister-at-law, solicitor, notary public, physician, surgeon, dentist, school principal, chartered accountant, manager of bank, trust or loan company."

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That's the whole list. There are some glaring omissions. I know we reporters are a scurvy lot, but what's wrong with editors? And if policemen are in the government's little blue book, what's wrong with firemen? I know some honest firemen. Lawyers are in the book, I notice.

Physicians, surgeons and dentists are in there, but psychologists, veterinarians, chiropractors and steam-bath attendants are not. I imagine a steam-bath attendant would have a chance to observe people very closely, shorn of all pretence. Who would be better fitted to vouch for a passport applicant than someone who had seen him in his skivvies?

Chartered accountants are in there. Okay. Why not insurance men. I suppose the Department of External Affairs has the idea that an insurance man would vouch for the Devil if he could sell him a policy.

That list of reliable persons is good only for Canadians applying for passports in Canada. For Canadians applying outside Canada, the list of people who are reliable is much shorter.

Seven really shining types of citizen may vouch for you outside Canada. They are mayors, police magistrates, ministers of religion, barristers, solicitors, notaries public and bank managers.

Foreign diplomatic attachés are not to be trusted. Foreign doctors and dentists are lumped with as a shifty crew. Foreign accountants are regarded as potential Communist fronts. Foreign principals are all lumped as dangerous touchies. None of them can vouch for you trustworthy foreigners.

All are excluded from the inner circle of trustworthy foreigners.

* * *

A few other omissions I notice at random in both lists are sea captain, soldier, airman, airforceman, bookmaker, diplomat, time stopper, physiotherapist, stockbroker, engineer, Cabinet Minister and janitor.

Truman Considers Declaration Of National Emergency in U.S.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—Secretary of Defence Marshall pointed up the gravity of the world crisis today by saying President Truman "is actually considering" the declaration of a national emergency.

The Cabinet member told reporters this as he stepped from a three-hour closed conference with Senators considering President Truman's request for nearly $18,000,000,000 to strengthen the nation's fighting forces.

Several of the Senators, who had listened to gloom reports from Secretary Marshall and the army, navy and air force leaders, wanted to go on record as having a national emergency in at least a start on all-out mobilization.

Senator Elmer Thomas (D.-Okla.), who has directed Senate actions on most of the multi-billion-dollar military money bills for ten years, said he reported "an all-out mobilization, despite

"We don't give a 50-50 chance of averting a war with Russia now under our present programs," he continued.

CHIEF'S CALL

"We must declare a national emergency to attain full defence production."

Most senators said the chief value of a presidential declaration of emergency now would be to put the American public on full notice.

On the technical or legal side they said such a declaration would put into gear a long list of special powers for the President and Government agencies that are triggered by such an order.

Senators said the step beyond—general mobilization—would move the country into a wartime footing for any eventuality.

SUITABLE DISASTER

One of the earliest recorded underwater disasters was the Royal Adelaide wreck off Margate, England, in 1850 with 400 dead.

Convicted Gold Given 30 Years

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 9 (AP)—Harry Gold, Philadelphia research chemist, today was sentenced to 30 years in prison for serving as courier for a Russian atomic spy ring during the World War.

Gold previously had pleaded guilty to charges in espionage in wartime and conspiracy to commit espionage in wartime. He was sentenced to a 30-year term on each count, with the terms to run concurrently.

Specifically, he admitted serving as courier between Dr. Klaus Fuchs and a Soviet espionage ring. Fuchs now is serving a 14-year term in a British prison.

Gold's sentence—the maximum allowed by law—came after the Parole Board received the recommendation of the Federal Government for a 25-year term.

Big Four Talks Favored If All Topics on Agenda

PARIS, Dec. 9 (AP)—The United States, Britain and France agreed in principle today to accept Russian Premier Stalin's invitation for a new Big Four meeting, but are putting a big "if" in their acceptance notes.

The Russians said November 2 they wanted to talk about the future of Germany. The Western Allies promptly decided such a meeting would be useless unless all East-West problems were talked over. That is the big "if."

The conditions of Western acceptance were worked out at a "Little Big Three" meeting here in the last three days. U.S. Ambassador David Bruce, British Ambassador Sir Oliver Harvey and Alexandre Parodi, Director-General of the French Foreign Office, headed the delegations.

Their recommendations were sent to their capitals. Reliable sources disclosed the recommendations reject the proposition the Big Four should meet to talk about Germany alone.

First the Western powers believe should be an agreement on the Austrian Peace Treaty, hanging fire for three years.

Then the West wants a discussion of Korea, Indo-China, the Japanese Peace Treaty and other Asian matters before tackling the problem of divided Germany.

One diplomat here put it this way: "What's the use of talking about the German problem without first discussing the elements of international unrest which created the German problem?"

Was Wrong About Wedding

Earl's Actions Cause Stir

MISS CARLSON AND EARL OF ESSEX

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 9 (NS)—Great Britain's Earl of Essex and his fiancee were located tonight and informed that they had only been given permission to marry when they thought they were being wed.

The 40-year-old earl and his bride-to-be, Miss Z. Mildred Carlson, obtained a waiver of Washington's law requiring a three-day wait before a marriage licence can be issued.

The waiver was granted by Superior Judge Henry Clay Agnew in Seattle. The earl then asked him, "Is that all?"

The judge answered:

"You will do."

The earl and the 27-year-old Miss Carlson, a former US consulate worker at Melbourne, Australia, were located tonight by the landlady of an auto court near Tacoma, Wash. The landlady learned through a news broadcast that a question had arisen over whether the marriage had taken place and informed the earl.

The earl, Algernon George Devereux Capell, immediately called Judge Agnew in Seattle. The judge told him that the ceremony in his office had been only the necessary preliminary for the wedding.

The pair said they will see a justice of the peace in Tacoma tomorrow.

The couple had been sought by newsmen and authorities for several hours.

The earl told newsmen after the issuance of a waiver that photographs of himself and "Lady Essex" would be available at a Seattle hotel suite to the afternoon.

But photographers who went to the news conference and asked when they could attend the wedding, were told by the earl:

"We are too late." And Miss Carlson—or Lady Essex—added:

"We were married by Judge Agnew."

They explained they were married in a simple short procedure in the judge's chambers Saturday morning. They had purchased an automobile and were starting on a leisurely motor tour before embarking for Bermuda.

Newsmen telephoned Judge Agnew for his version of the ceremony. The Judge denied that he had performed the marriage ceremony. He expressed belief that the earl and Miss Carlson had mistaken his granting of the waiver for a wedding.

BOOM CONTINUES

EDMONTON (CP)—Edmonton's 1950 building boom continues to break records. November figures show building permits valued at $1,961,766 compared with $1,812,360 in November last year. Permits for 11 months were $46,180,977 compared with $37,963,082 in the same period of 1949.

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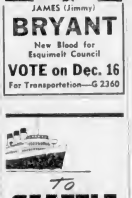

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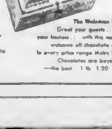

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Children Have Holiday Preview at Esquimalt Christmas Party

About 40 Esquimalt children were given an early taste of Christmas yesterday afternoon at municipal hall where Esquimalt Municipal Employees' Association staged its annual Christmas party. They are seen above just after the party started, and just before Clarence R. D. Perria, chief photographer, Department of Trade and Industry, showed them several films. Youngsters cheered rodeo film, laughed at Woody Woodpecker and gazed with intense interest at animal life film. Afterward there were presents for all and plenty of good food.

Finance Minister Home, Disappointed By Federal Tax, Pension Proposals

Finance Minister Herbert Anscomb returned to Victoria yesterday with Federal Government proposals for new tax rental agreements and old age pension schemes.

He termed them disappointing but added that the colossal Federal costs for military needs in the event of a war was the reason for the Government's outlook.

"The conference gave a great opportunity to our effort to improve the old age pension scheme," he said, and explained that the Federal Government proposals have been given to a continuing committee in which British Columbia will be represented.

"That committee will study the financial position of this province with a view to ascertaining the nature and extent of the improvement, if any, that can be made," said Mr. Anscomb.

He said the scheme was not settled but would depend on the ability of the province to carry the costs.

British Columbia had proposed that old age pensions be paid to everyone of 65 years and over under a contributory scheme to be financed and administered by Ottawa.

Proposal by the Federal Government is that Ottawa finance and administer a $40 a month pension for everyone of 70 and over. The pensions would be paid on a "means test" basis to persons 65-69 with costs shared on a 50-50 basis by the provinces and Ottawa.

TO PRESENT PROPOSALS

Mr. Anscomb will present the Federal proposals to the British Columbia Government and will ask for consideration of alternative suggestions.

He suggested at the Federal-Provincial conference that British Columbia sign the tax rental agreement for only one or two years instead of five.

British Columbia delegates felt that Ottawa did not offer enough money for a renewed five-year tax rental agreement and the new system of old age pensions.

The finance minister said that if the present international crisis had passed at the end of a short term, then this province would want more money from Ottawa, but if the war situation continued, then British Columbia would sign for five years and less money.

Credit Grantors To Meet Tuesday

The Credit Grantors' Association will hold a luncheon meeting at noon Tuesday in Lughadh's Banquet Hall.

Around Town

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Oak Bay Reeve Urges Voters To Express Opinions on Issues

Although all Oak Bay candidates have been elected by acclamation, Oak Bay Reeve P. A. Gibbs yesterday urged ratepayers to vote next Saturday "because of the importance of the two referendums and the money by-law."

"The fact that there will be no elections for council, school board and police commission should not deter voters from going to the polling stations," Reeve Gibbs said.

He stressed that inclusion of Cadboro Bay, Gordon Head and the "panhandle" within Oak Bay's boundaries, and the $50,000 water loan by-law, are matters on which each voter should express a view. "I urge every elector to cast a ballot. The three proposals are of vital interest to everyone," he said.

REEVE P. A. GIBBS

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BICYCLE AUCTION

The city police department will have bicycles for sale Tuesday.

Thirty-five bicycles will be auctioned at 3 p.m. in the Market Building. Maynard & Sons will be in charge of the auction.

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DELEGATES NAMED

Seven delegates were elected Friday to represent the Provincial Normal School at the Western Canada Student Teachers' Conference to be held in Victoria January 20 to 25 next year. The conference will contain of seven sessions. Each delegate from the Victoria school will have a vote in one session. Chosen by the student body in an afternoon election were: Miss Audrey Palmer, Mrs. McFarlane, Murray Mackintosh, Jack Wallis, Kenneth Hurn, Walter Hamm and Irving Simms.

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CITY COURT

Richard C. Hamilton, Sooke, who pleaded guilty in city police court to a charge of indecent exposure was placed on a $100 bond yesterday to be on his good behaviour for one year.

One of the terms of probation laid down by Magistrate H. C. Hall is that Hamilton apply to be placed on the interdict list. He also must report monthly for one year to the probation officer.

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TILL LOOTED

A total of $232 was stolen from a cash register at Sylvester U-Drive 1601-A Douglas Street, early yesterday morning.

City detectives reported there was no sign of forced entry to the office or the register.

Shopbreakings also were reported at Carter's Shoe Store, 850 Fort Street, and Oserin Studios, 618 Fort Street. Nothing has been reported missing.

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PHARMACIST NAMED

Charles W. Burr, Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, has been elected vice-president of the Canadian Society of Hospital Pharmacists. Election took place at the recent annual meeting in Montreal.

Mr. Burr is a member of the Council of the Pharmaceutical Association of British Columbia and is chairman of the B.C. Hospital Employees' Council, which was recently organized in British Columbia.

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ACCIDENT

A car driven west on Cadboro Bay Road yesterday morning by Dr. Charles N. Westwood, 3085 Cadboro Bay Road, ran off the road, over the sidewalk and into some bushes behind a service station at the intersection of Cadboro Bay and Cranmore Roads.

Oak Bay Police said the driver was unhurt and damage to the car was slight.

Eagles' Concert Party To Give Benefit Show

The Fraternal Order of Eagles concert party will present "Musical Varieties of 1950" at the Rheum at 8 p.m. Monday.

The show is in aid of the Solarium.

Passing Students Listed By St. John Ambulance

Results of tests conducted recently by the Victoria Centre of the St. John Ambulance Brigade were released yesterday.

Students who were successful in passing their examinations are:

Nurses at Royal Jubilee Hospital, under instructors Dr. T. W. A. Gray and K. G. Marriot: Elizabeth V. Carter, Daisy Chung, Mary A. Church, Mae I. Cunn, Evelyn Davidson, Olga Golik, Barbara J. Guy, Barbara A. Lester, Jessie Lim, Ellen N. Manring, Marjorie H. Martin, Shirley E. Mawdsley, Margaret E. D. Roberts, Ruth V. Rogers, Myrtle C. Seiber, Lavina A. Stilwell and Sheiah M. Wilson.

Fraternal Order of Eagles, under instructor R. M. Barnes: Stanley Bowler, Hugh J. Fowler, Meredith A. Penner, Charles B. Lindworth, Robert B. Lowe, Ernest J. Molineux, Howard N. S. Nelson, James T. Newlands, Richard J. Payne, Victor A. Saggi, Harvey Troxell.

Thirteenth Field Ambulance, Bay Street Armoury: Dave Dorman, Murray Porter, Edward Ensor, Tony J. Worsley, William Austin, Daniel P. Wesenberg, Jack Rowe and L. Newbigging.

Centre Class, under instructor A. M. Jarvis: May Campbell, Helen Elder, Winifred A. Paulkes, Annie Forbes, Diana M. Gould, Kate Jones, Grace Morton, Elsie Mowat, Mary Parker, Vada Parkes, Agnes Taafe, Nellie L. Dmophey, May Walker, Anna Wong, Doreen M. Vernon, William F. Birkbeck, Frank G. Bridges, Paul Bumgardner, Ralph E. Gerrit, George E. Creeston, Ethel Kitts, Hans A. Jacobson, Dorian T. John, Robert Knowles, John Jones, John McCoy, Robert McAvoy, George Malsey and John Plumb.

B.C. Forest Products, under instructor A. M. Jarvis: Frank O. Boehm, William C. Beale, William Butts, Robert F. Grieve, James J. Griffith, Frank B. Milton, Peter Lamling, James M. Malone, James O. McNaught, John M. Mooney, Harmon W. Peters, Noel Rees, William Rutich, Joginder Singh, John Tatham, John E. Trautman, Thomas Waddington, Garfield J. Wells, Charles B. Williamson.

Cadets, under instructor Mrs. E. Humble: Ann E. Copeman, Margaret E. Fowler, Sheila G. Kingham, Barbara Lifton, and Lilian Lift.

Band to Play At Solarium

The band of the Royal Canadian Artillery Reserve Force will entertain the children and staff of the Queen Alexandra Solarium at a pre-Christmas concert at 6 p.m. next Sunday.

The 75th H.A.A. Regiment will stage a regimental smoker next Saturday in the Bay Street Armoury. Exact time will be announced later.

The 75th H.A.A. Regiment is keeping active during its motor transport school Monday nights. Sunday the school will hold a driving practice between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

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Ninety-Two Years of Contemporary History

NINETY TWO years ago, at a time when Amor De Cosmos was selecting his nostro for the masthead of the infant British Colonist, "The organ of no clique or party"—which was to appear on the morrow, December 11, 1858, the world was also in a postwar period and freedom in a parlous state. The Treaty of Paris which ended the Crimean War was not then three years old. In Prussia the roots of a free Parliament had been slowly strangled by a feudal party which was to plunge Europe into the bloodiest wars of the period, from Sebastopol to Sedan to the siege of Paris—where rats sold for a pound each as human food. Unfederated Italy was still composed of warring city states. Oceans isolated continents, communication was rare, and news of the world might take months to encircle the globe.

Continuing the comparison, the telephone, wireless, electric light, automobile, airplane, radio and television were undreamed of. Illumination was by oil in the homes, and the horse was man's best friend. The universe was unpolored, and no one had found the secret by which suns maintain radiation. Nuclear fission may have been imagined, but it had not been brought down to earth to the discomfiture of mankind. Gunpowder, it is true, had had a fairly long run among human kind, but the printed word, in the hands of the general public by way of penny circulation, remained unexplored as the vast, vital force for good or ill that it has become today.

By all standards The British Colonist was a pioneering venture, in an inland settlement only just emerged from behind the original stockaded walls. It had to make its way on its merits, and it did. It is history now how The Colonist championed the birth and union of the two Crown Colonies, strove for Confederation, and banged away at the last vestiges of misguided fur brigade rule. Ninety-two years have gone by since its founder read the first imprint with pride. So tomorrow's the Composing Room will go an item changing our folio number to: "No. 1—Ninety-Third Year."

Is This Pension Plan Truly Contributory?

OFFICIAL announcements from Ottawa about tentative proposals for wider civilian pensions make one fact plain. Nothing that any government "gives" is ever free. If there is to be a broader pension the taxpayers will have to put up more money. Pensions, like everything else financed by the state, have to be paid for out of personal wages and income.

In respect of the proposed new basis of pensions for those in the over-70 age group there is talk of a direct 2 per cent Federal levy on incomes as a means of setting up what seems to be mistakenly described as a "contributory" system. Apparently the Federal Government would assume all responsibility for collections and administration of pensions for this group, towards which the Provinces now contribute 25 per cent, plus the bonuses some have added. Also under consideration is the unprecedented granting of authority to the Province to impose an indirect sales tax to finance a one-half share of the cost of pensions to needy cases in the 65-69 age group.

More detailed information is needed before one can determine whether or not the plan as a whole would be "contributory" in the true sense. Certainly a concealed sales tax would turn everyone into a contributor, even the poorest, which makes it strange that this should be proposed to pay for the pensions of needy cases under 70 rather than the larger group. If the idea is that pensions for the latter should be financed by a 2 per cent addition to the present income tax scale, with its various exemptions, that would not set up a real contributory plan at all, for obviously many would draw the pension who had never paid a penny into the pool.

It might be argued that this would be in keeping with the ability-to-pay principle, but to describe it as a contributory scheme would be wholly misleading. Such a system could be set up only through equal payments by all (with, of course, the exception of indigents), in much the same form as insurance premiums. For this the existing machinery of the unemployment insurance service could be used with relatively simple modification.

When Will Ottawa Make Good Its Word?

IT is so long since Esquimalt was promised a new deal by the Federal Government one loses count of time. At least, a year ago, however, there was the pledged word that a grant-in-aid would be forthcoming to offset the tax-free property preempted for national defence purposes. Now a treasury official is coming out to check and audit Esquimalt's claims on the spot. Once he makes his report and it is approved, payment will be made.

That, says a high Ottawa official, is the usual procedure. Why, then, wasn't it carried out before this? Esquimalt, a rightful claim for compensation for loss of revenues because of the large proportion of Crown property in the municipality has been a proven one for years and years. Will it be that prevents Ottawa from getting to grips with a wounding taxation anomaly

Letters and Excerpts

Letters to the editor on any topic of popular interest are welcome if they are brief, generate and fair. No letter will be inserted in whole, or in part, except over the proper signature and address of the writer. Prolific or anonymous essays be rejected.

ALDERMAN STEPS DOWN

Sir,—With the civic election so close at hand, it seems appropriate that I should have express my regret that considerations of health should have dictated my withdrawal from civic affairs with a year of my term still unexpired. I did so only after long and serious thought and in the sincere conviction that, feeling no longer able to give my accustomed responsibilities the care and constant attention which their proper discharge demands, and having at heart the best interests of the citizens and of my colleagues, it was my duty to retire in favor of someone more physically able to assume them.

I take this occasion to extend my warmest thanks to the citizens of Victoria for the confidence which they reposed in me and for their appreciation of my efforts, and to my colleagues on the council for the unremitting courtesy and co-operation which makes my association with them a lasting and very happy memory; and to the press for its generous coverage and careful accuracy. May I offer the assurance that, although removed from the active field, I shall be more than pleased to render what assistance I may at any time.

CHARLES F. BANFIELD

642 Craigflower Road, Victoria, B.C.

ORPHANAGE FRIENDS

Sir,—I would like to reply to the many people who wrote or phoned me in regard to the suggestion I made last week concerning the orphan children. It seems that there are many kind men and women who would be only too happy to become "aunties" and "uncles" by proxy. I can only refer them to this correspondence in aid of the orphanage. If it is agreeable to them, then perhaps these people will be permitted to submit their names to the orphanage and, in return, receive names of the kiddies for whom they are to become responsible in the way suggested.

I would like to mention that the Cleveland Christian Home for Children has this same plan in operation. Those interested may read about it in The Ladies' Home Journal for December. Their children are permitted to have "pen parents," which seems to have proved very satisfactory.

Perhaps the orphanage committee would let us know if there is any possibility of bringing such a plan into operation here? I know there are a number of people who are keenly interested and would be very grateful for further information.

WINIFRED EDWARDS

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GETTING A PHONE

Sir,—Last June I applied for a phone, then two months ago was able to get a house with a phone in but not connected. So I thought I was all set, went down to phone office and was told they would do what they could. They took the phone out, so I have now five big holes in the plaster in the hall. A neighbor of mine moved to a new house, asked for a phone, and got it in three weeks.

J. C. LOWE

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What About Today?

We shall do much in the years to come,
But what have we done today?
We shall give out gold in a princely sum
But what did we give today?

We shall lift the heart and dry the tear,
We shall plant a hope in the place of fear.
We shall speak with words of love and cheer,
But have we done so today?

We shall be so kind in the after while,
But what kind we been today?
We shall bring to each lonely life a smile,
But when have we brought today?

We shall give to each a generous birth,
And to steadfast faith a deeper worth,
We shall help the hungering souls of earth,
But when have we helped today?

—AUTHOR UNKNOWN

Draw strength from weakness.

—CERVANTES

The British Scene . . .

By GILES

"Infidel!"

—London Daily Express

Thinking Aloud

. . . of shoes—and ships—and sealing wax—of cabbages and kings.

By TOM TAYLOR

DO you know anything about mad dogs? I don't mean this brand now running loose in Korea, nor indeed the motley hordes that tear up my front lawn—they're not mad, just maddening—but the kind you sing about.

Or rather the kind Noel Coward sings about—those that go out in the sun with Englishmen.

It would be the presentation by the St. Luke's Players of Coward's "This Happy Breed," and a fine performance it was too, that induced me to bring this up in the association of Ideas—Breed—Coward—dogs—a letter from a reader and a Boer War incident.

("This light is innocuous, a momentary diversion from a grim phase of twentieth century life, but even so it seems we can't get away from the word war.)

Specifically, I would like your assistance. Who wrote these words, made familiar to most people by the voices of Noel Coward and Beatrice Lillie: "Mad dogs and Englishmen go out in the midday sun"?

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This was a question asked me a month or so ago by a correspondent. A friend of his had thought the author of the phrase to be Rudyard Kipling, who knew quite a lot about Englishmen and the sun, and, I dare say, about dogs too. But it wasn't Kipling this time. A bit of research and I found that Bartlett, that erudite authority on quotations, attributed the authorship to Coward himself.

This sparkling sophisticate seems to be able to do so many things at once with ease, sing, compose, direct, produce—that I wasn't the least surprised to learn that he not only sings about mad dogs and Englishmen but invents them too. And so I informed my correspondent.

But it seems now that this can't be so—and that for once Bartlett may have slipped.

Just the other day a friend of mine, Bob White, who until recently was a printer's galley boy but now retired and has lots of time to mull over such things, told me a story that puts a different complexion on the matter.

Fifty years ago, in 1900 to be precise, he was in a Kimberley hospital with shrapnel in his leg. In the same ward was a much-traveled civilian trader engineer who was working with the army, and who had often so foolish as to stumble over a rut and break his shin bone.

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As is the way with men in casualty wards, the similarity of their wounds drew them together, and when the time came that they could skip around a bit they took the odd walk outside—in the African sun. One day it seemed specially hot, and they perspired and were uncomfortable, so that the engineer looked up with a smile and said: "You know, Bob, there's an old saying in the East that only mad dogs and Englishmen walk in the sun."

At this particular moment Noel Coward would be one year old.

Obviously then, Coward didn't originate the phrase that he afterwards made immortal by song. Somewhere along the route as he grew up he must have heard about this saying, and later put it into words he might well have thought better than the word "midday," for instance, may be his addition to the original.

This city is full of Englishmen who lived at one time in the East, Near or Far, and who must know what matters thought of them—as they strolled in the noonday sun, with or without topee.

Would one of them care to cast some more light on the phrase in question? Then I could re-inform my correspondent.

Side Glances . . . From the Press Gallery

By FRED McNEIL

I HAVE many vivid recollections of friends in the last war. Many of the best of them are no longer here.

Despite the rough talk that always hides a soldier's true feelings, most of them knew exactly what they fought and died for.

If they can see us now, they must bitterly smile as they watch us go through the solemn fraud of Armistice Day. In words we have renewed the pledge in fact, through moral and spiritual weakness, we have thrown away what they won. We have stood by while millions in nation after nation have been turned into quivering automatons of a slave state on a scale Hitler only dreamed of. We have cast aside our eyes and walked on the other side when our neighbor needed help.

We have cherished above all else more and bigger cars, radios and refrigerators. We have thrust up politicians mouthing "social security" based on a system of government and business finance which every honest politician and businessman knows to be fraudulent. We have allowed labor leaders to persist in what they know is a hoax on simple men.

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Flabby and glutted by our riches we have been bullied, out-talked, outsmarted and out-fought by the ruthless rulers of the Soviet. We have cowered before bullies, when each of twenty years has told us, with terrible emphasis, that bullies only understand guns.

We have done this with the full knowledge that we have many times their resources (if alive) oil, industrial plant and skill to make those guns. We have known that if we had them they would listen to our talk. But we have only convinced them that we are too cowardly to do anything but plead.

We have them from our loaded tables to preach "democracy" to Asia's starveling millions, while the Politburo has taught them to hate us as only starving men can hate the sight of opulence.

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On this continent there is the odor of softness and decay. Rich and comfortable beyond all the world, we are afraid. The men of the Kremlin can smell it.

They have read history. They know the signs. What is happening here has happened in Syria, in Persia, Babylon and Egypt. It is documented, step by step, point by point in every jot and title in the rise and fall of Rome. And Rome was followed by the Dark Ages.

The defence of freedom and civilization has always meant death and destruction whenever civilization has brought moral weakness. When life and comfort have become more dear than freedom, we become, we have always become, the enfeebling creatures of tyranny.

I am conscious that there is more emotion than reason in what is said here. It is so because I am ashamed of my own country and I am sick of doubletalking politicians. I know that fundamentals are the same as they have always been and no amount of doubletalk or accumulation of clever gadgets will make them otherwise.

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Canada has a proud record. But today we stand publicly pledged before the world to resist aggression and have responded with three small ships, a fragment of a half-trained fighting unit and eight air transports.

We have talked of armament for months on a "business as usual" premise.

If the history of 3,000 years tells us anything, it now spells out plainly we need more guts and less doubletalk, more guns, planes and fighting men and fewer foam-cushioned automobiles.

I think Canadians are away ahead of their leaders in knowing this. If the politicians will forget votes and act, I know Canadians will not be found wanting.

Observation Car

By G. B.

FAR too many election candidates deal with vague generalities, and very few really get down to earth," a soulmate remarked to Bill, the Broad Street barber. "Yes, some manage to get down to earth. They even pick it up and throw it." Bill shrugged. "Last again ..." Let us hear excuse No. 74, or is it 75?" the boss said when Barber Ben ploughed into the shop. "Perhaps I shall turn over a new leaf next year," Ben replied. "You remind me of a calendar. You turn over a new leaf once a month," the boss scoffed . . . "I had to accompany my wife on a shopping tour yesterday so she could get a new hat and coat for Christmas, and believe me, I never knew that women were so difficult to please." a friend said to Tobacconist Martin. "Two fashions bother women. There is the one that do not like, and the other they cannot afford," Martin observed . . . "I heard a man predict on a radio program last night that the world might eventually be run by machines." a neighbor said to the Keating Squire. "Nothing new about that. The world seems to be run by political machines right now," the squire commented . . . From The Calgary Herald: "It is hard to satisfy everybody. Your friends do not believe you make as much money as you say you do. The Government does not believe you make as little as you say you do, and no matter what you make, your wife thinks it is not half enough." . . . A New York psychologist told an audience that a child was liable to develop an inferiority complex if his parents declined to purchase a television set. New standards must be set. A person's social standing might be measured by the size of his television screen.

Television's Place in Education

(From The Globe and Mail, Toronto)

AMERICAN manufacturers of television sets are in hot water for advertising that their product is indispensable in education. They have been pushing sales, it seems, by representing that a child without television at home is seriously handicapped in mental progress and morale.

Far from being indispensable in education, television is the most effective means yet devised for chloroforming the mind and destroying thought. If the day ever comes when children learn all their lessons from looking at a screen and listening to voices mechanically transmitted, that will be the end of education and the beginning of indoctrination a la Goebbels and the Politburo. Education is not something to be obtained by passive absorption. It requires thought on the student's part.

There is a limited field for television in the training of the young. Whether American television is making the best use of that opportunity is extremely doubtful. Canada will perhaps give a lead here as it has already done in education by radio.

Victoria in Beard and Crinoline

From Files of The Daily British Colonist for December, 1861

By G. E. MORTIMORE

LAWYERS of colonial Vancouver Island were a sad and scurrilous crew and judges were not much better, said The Daily British Colonist.

"The British colonies have long prided themselves on their laws . . .

The judges of England have been revered for their knowledge, wisdom and discretion; her lawyers for their learning, honorable bearing and ability.

"Are we always to have the bitter mortification of owning that among ourselves a different order of things prevails? Have we retrograded to the dark ages, or have we descended to the rowdyism of mobocracy?

"The ancient and learned profession of the law two centuries ago were unskilled in strong language, were unused to violent scenes in courts of justice. More attention was paid in those days to the maxims of the Lord Chief Baron of that era, who said:

'Consider before you speak, weigh the sense of what you mean to utter, and the expressions that you intend to use; that they may be at once significant, pertinent and inoffensive. Incontinerate speakers in general do not think what they speak, or they speak and then think.'

"Would that our learned counsel practising at the bar of the colony could keep these maxims in their minds, and would that our Chief Justice more those integrity of purpose—more than sound judgment and more than legal attainments. We must have upon the bench one who can keep up the dignity of His Majesty's courts of justice."

If the Chief Justice couldn't keep the legal lions at bay, The Colonist warned, the people would arise and cry him out of office.

Fun, Fact and Fiction

A report says comic books don't drive the tot to delinquency. It's just that they're full of cute ideas, if Mabel is open.

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"Good teachers need to about now and then," says an educationist. As in the progressive school, for example, where there are times when teacher wants to hear what she has to say.

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In Chicago a pair of quacks have been sentenced to prison for selling "magic" without the formality of getting elected to Congress.

—Detroit Free Press in Detroit News

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Women are magicians who can fill an entire closet from one suitcase, and pack into a tube of lipstick enough rouge to digitalize refrigerator.

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The employer had lost his patience. "Look here, Jones," he said, meeting the lounging employee, "how is it that you are never on time any more?"

The employee hung his head. "Well, boss," he finally said, "it's really your fault in a way. You've drilled us so thoroughly on never watching the clock here, that I've lost the habit of watching it at home."

Vote as You Please—But Vote

CP Photo

This two-year-old can't cast her first ballot until 1969, but she thinks there is no harm in learning how it's done. She stands guard beneath the wall of an eastern Canadian civic polling booth while her mother votes in annual election. She knows her mother's vote is a big secret.

Explorers Use Tractors To Set Up New Depots

(In the last dispatch received from the Joint British-Australian Expedition to the Antarctic, Leader Vivian Fuchs announced the successful entry of the overwintering sledge party which reached the Shackleton Range on November 1. Yesterday it was his turn to report on his return to civilization. The expedition's base is at Vahsel Bay, which is between the Weddell Sea and the Shackleton Range.—This story appears the deadline, ed.)

OSLO, Dec. 4 (By Wireless—CW)—Captain John Glasser, leader of the joint British-Scandinavian Expedition, now in its second year of scientific exploration of the Antarctic, tonight radioed the Norwegian Polar Institute here.

"Using wheeled tractors, we have succeeded in establishing depots to a distance of 300 kilometers (186 miles) in a southeastern direction from Maudheim. The wheels party returned today from an eight-day trip. We too are worried about the situation in Korea."

The Polar Institute added the following comment:

"The value to the Antarctic expedition of the small wheels has been much more than had been expected. We earlier had regarded it as satisfactory if we could establish depots at a distance of 150 to 200 kilometers (93 to 124 miles) from Maudheim and now push a depot has been established 300 kilometers from the Winter base with several smaller depots along the way. This means that the expedition's geologists, glaciologists and oceanographers can, without travel to a distance of 700 kilometers (435 miles) from Maudheim and explore the great mountain areas there. So far, all plans have been carried out successfully and we hope the expedition will complete its work in Antarctica according to our initial program."

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Oddities

CHARLOTTE N.C., Dec. 9 (CP)—A thief ran afoul of fancy free in the Mutual Building and Loan Building here.

He broke into six offices.

But he didn't take anything.

The police wonder whether he was just practicing.

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CHICAGO, Dec. 9 (CP)—Five-year-old Michael Waldman will become his mother's brother—as a result of two separate court actions yesterday.

The twins in kinship came about after:

Michael's mother, Mrs. Selma Kay, 35, was granted a divorce from his stepfather, Dr. Merton Kay, 32. By agreement, they renounced custody of Michael.

Mrs. Kay's parents, Joshua and Eva Lind, immediately adopted the boy and the adoption order is to become affective December 28.

Michael's father was killed in the World War.

Federal Assessor Appears in Court

VANCOUVER, Dec 9 (CP). — Police today charged that an assessor for the Federal Income Tax Department demanded $350 from a Vancouver businessman in return for falsifying the man's tax return.

Wasley Zahariuk 22, of Vancouver, appeared before Magistrate Oscar Orr in police court. Prosecutor Stewart McMorran charged Zahariuk used his position to extract the bribe and defraud the Government.

Detectives supplied the businessman with marked money and the payoff was made at the businessman's office, Mr McMorran asserted.

Bail was set at $1,500 and the case was set over to Thursday.

U.N. Just Hasn't Enough Men To Win in Korea, Says Writer

Bal Boyle is a veteran Associated Press writer and war correspondent. He was with the Allied forces in North Africa, Sicily, Italy, Normandy, Holland and the disastrous raids been into Dieppe. He was one of the first Allied war correspondents to land in Germany in the early days of the war. He was with the 1st Canadian Army in Holland. His assessment of the Korean military situation is the following dispatch.

By HAL BOYLE

SEOUL, Korea, Dec 10 (Bulletin) — The war in Korea appears to have been militarily decided.

The United Nations have no military force near enough to prevent what seems able to achieve victory against a Chinese Red army officially estimated at more than 1,000,000 men.

The United Nations goal was to repel the North Korean Reds who invaded the South June 25, and to create a free, independent, democratic and united Korea. The North Koreans were repelled, but with the Chinese Red intervention, the United Nations' final goal looks like a lost cause.

There remains the possibility that some diplomatic formula may be found by the U.N. or by the Big Powers to end the fighting, but there is not much optimism on this score in the Korean battle lines. And the fact remains that the first U.N. army to go into combat has been decisively defeated by the army of a single giant nation whose ruling regime is outside the U.N. fold.

ENTIRELY OUT

The announced intention of the Chinese — clearly and repeatedly stated in their radio broadcasts and propaganda leaflets—is to throw the American-English Army and 10th Corps entirely out of Korea. The Chinese appear perfectly able to do just that.

The superior firepower of the small United Nations forces, in terms of air, tank and artillery support, is outweighed by the Five-to-One advantage the enemy has in foot troops.

In this mountainous terrain, victory goes to the side which can mass the most men with guns in their hands.

The United Nations have given no indication that they will recruit or send to Korea the hundreds of thousands of infantrymen who alone could really turn the advancing tide of veteran Chinese Reds.

Gen. J. Lawton Collins, chief of staff of the United States army, has said he can see no worthwhile practical use in Korea for the mightiest weapon in the arsenal of democracy—the atom bomb.

THREE CHOICES

When an army loses a Battle of a war it must surrender, retreat or die fighting.

Obviously, the Americans, British, Turks, Filipinos and handful of other foreign troops in Korea have no intention of surrendering. It is equally unlikely they will be ordered to stand and die.

Each is too important to the welfare of its own country. This is particularly true of the American force, which makes up the greatest part of the army.

The one marine and six army divisions committed by the United States in Korea make up nearly half of America's trained professional combat troops. They must be saved to staff the cities army now slowly being built up at home.

Gen. Collins said on his return in Washington from Korea Friday that four forces there will be able to take care of themselves without further serious losses.

Gen. Bradley, chairman of the U.S joint chiefs of staff, said last week that in talking about evacuation possibilities to senators, he referred only to the hard-pressed troops in extreme northeast Korea and not to the Korean peninsula as a whole.

NO SANCTUARY

Nevertheless, there is no evident on this peninsula any sanctuary which the Chinese horde could not storm.

Logically, this would point to ultimate withdrawal. But there is only one first-class port in the entire country. That is Pusan at the southeast tip of Korea, the chief landing place for Allied men and supplies. Other ports might be used, such as Inchon, but its 36-foot tides limit its capacity severely.

This probably means there can be no major defence of Seoul because any Allied force that tried to hold it might be sacrificed in the effort before it could escape by sea.

It appears unlikely that there will be any more major battles in the Korean campaign unless Allied forces are cut off.

The retreat by military problem is to advance as many men and as much equipment as possible.

There seems to be no choice but to fall back into the old Pusan perimeter from which the Allies broke successfully last September.

Indications are that most of the men and most of their tanks and artillery can be pulled out safely. Great stores of supplies probably will have to be put to the torch.

SAFETY FACTOR

The great proclamation of the Allies is the safety factor that should enable them to escape. They can make a fighting, fill-and-run withdrawal, and there does not appear to be anything else to do.

One question that only time can resolve is what will happen to the army of the Republic of South Korea. Will it go to a rearward line for the 120,000 or more United Nations troops? Will it collapse in mass surrender to the Chinese Reds?

Or will it, too, be given a chance to escape to Japan and become a refugee army such as the Poles and the Free French were in the World War?

To that observer it appears that the entire United Nations "police action" in Korea will be over or almost over by the first of the year.

The men who fought here for six weary months to try to make a dream of world order begin to fear they may have to go home in defeat and frustration.

Convicted Driver To Launch Appeal

Conviction to city police court of John Hutchinson, Lovatt Avenue, on a drunken driving charge, will be appealed, W. H. M. Haldane, Hutchinson's counsel, said yesterday.

Magistrate H C Hall this week sentenced Hutchinson to 15 days in jail and suspended his driver's licence for one year when he found him guilty.

Canada Puts Embargo On All Goods for China

OTTAWA, Dec 10 (CP)—Trade all export permits granted will be recalled "for revalidation."

The embargo is, in a way, a reversal of Government policy. For, though Canada has had restrictions on the export of strategic goods to Communist countries, the policy was to allow normal civilian trade to function.

Thus Canada earlier this year sold China several thousand bushels of flour and even some other items considered strategic—but deals for manufactures into foil for tea packaging.

The new order brings to an end an export trade that already has been on the decline. In the first six months of 1950 Canada sold China only $1,500,000 worth of goods compared with $8,000,000 in the corresponding period last year then to do.

Exports to Hongkong in the first half of 1950 declined to $2,700,000 from $4,100,000. However, shipments to Korea were on the increase: $1,300,000 in the first half of 1950 compared with $18,000 in 1949.

Minister Howe has ordered an embargo on all goods destined for China.

The order, announced Thursday, applies also to Korea, Hongkong, Manchuria and Macao—all of them in or near the area where a third world war threatens.

Officials said the main point of the order is to ban all goods from shipment to the Chinese Communists Hongkong, a British possession, is a transit point for goods going to the Chinese Mainland.

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Anglicans To Elect New Bishop

VANCOUVER, Dec 9 (CP)—A new bishop for the vacant Anglican See of New Westminster will be elected Tuesday at a meeting of clergy and lay representatives in Christ Church Cathedral here.

Rt. Rev. Sir Francis Heathcote, 82, who retired 21 after nearly ten years as the fourth bishop of the diocese, will not be present at the election.

He left Vancouver in November for his native home in Stamford, Hertfordshire, after 66 years in Canada. He was Archdeacon of Vancouver from 1913 until his election as archbishop 28 years later.

Venerable James Thompson, Archdeacon of Vancouver, is administrator of the diocese and will contact the election. Any priest in the Anglican communion in any country is eligible to become a nominee on the first ballot marked by clergy.

Actual voting is on those nominees in subsequent separate balloting by clergy and lay representatives. No speech on behalf of any nominee is permitted. The bishop is declared elected after he has obtained a majority of the votes in each house.

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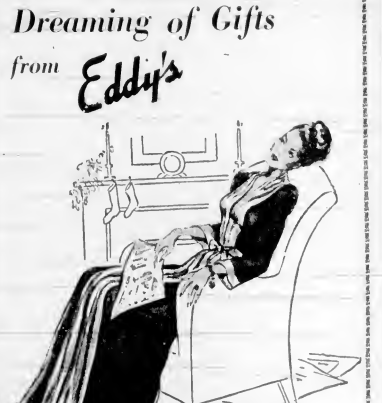

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Surviving Skipper Tells Of Ordeal in Shipwreck

The following is a personal account by F. G. Beaumont, skipper and sole survivor of the schooner Ada, which foundered and sunk off Victoria last Tuesday night. Mr. Beaumont was picked up by the Canadian Navy frigate Stormont and brought into Victoria harbor early Friday morning. Mr. Beaumont recovered in the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

By F. G. BEAUMONT

I write this account in the hope that my experience might benefit any others who might have the same misfortune, and in view of the kind interest shown by so many friends.

An hour before sunset, Tuesday, we left our moorings opposite the Empress Hotel and some 30 minutes later we were inside Mount Ledge expecting to round Cormorant Point a couple of minutes later. A nasty sea was running at the time—an ebb tide against a southeast wind. Outside the ledge big waves were running which inside we were comparatively calm.

I had slowed to half speed when suddenly really big waves began to strike the boat shuddering blows and I began to feel that she was not under control.

I began to reverse the rudder, operated by a chain, and tried to back from the shores—by this time getting dangerously near.

DRIFTED CLOSER

The rudder blades, with the wire having broken on one side, were in the wrong position so as a forlorn hope I asked Bob Cale to drop the port anchor, but we drifted closer and closer to the shore.

Over two days before, Bob had told me of his inability to swim, so I got him to fetch up from the cabin two knock-butt life jackets which we donned. He then began to lower the dinghy (nine-foot, of course) from the few davit wires I manipulated the stern davit. We got her alongside and—as the sheltered side expecting every minute she would be smashed to pieces—had managed both of us to flop into her and push away as the yacht began to go under.

Being thoroughly accustomed to rowing, I took the sculls and had gotten the dinghy into position when saw a huge towering wave bearing down on top of us.

HEARD MOANING

The wave filled the small boat with water and turned us over, pitching us into the water. When I came to the surface half-drowned, I heard a moaning and sensed that Cale was near but I could do nothing to help him.

I was then blown against the rocks and made several attempts to climber up but only became more and more exhausted. At this point I began to think that it was all over and gave up the attempt. I was quite happy about it, even though I have made a number of mistakes in my life. I long ago had tried to make my peace and felt ready now.

Only when I began to think of my wife being left alone in her old age did I try again to climb onto the jagged rocks. A large wave swept me up a few feet and I hung on to the barnacles as the water receded. Finally I found myself on a ledge and I struggled towards land until I found myself on the far side of a spit of rocks out of range of the wave.

Here I shouted "help" and was two heads appear. One belonged to my old friend, Vic Hirst, from the Oak Bay boathouse, and the other to Constable W. J. Green of the Oak Bay police. The two had waded 100 feet from shore and carried me, with the help of an elderly, kind Samaritan whom I do not know yet, to shore. From there I was taken to the hospital in an ambulance.

I would like to thank the many people who have been out with us in the Discovery Isle and made the trips happier. Particularly I would like to say how little of the appreciation expressed in the past is due in any way to myself in view of the sacrifices of time and money made by my wife in order to keep the boat in commission. She has had to go without many things.

BIGGEST BLOW

The loss of my good friend, Bob Cale, who was a cheerful shipmate and skilled engineer, has been the biggest blow. I can say little in comfort to Mrs. Cale, who was proposed to Victoria from Discovery Island by Brigadier W. O. Colquhoun.

When I am well again, I hope to arrange about a much smaller craft which will take us back and forth to Victoria from the island. I hope that my experience may prevent others like it.

To Join U.S. Army

DON MacDONALD

Announcer at CJVI, who leaves Victoria the beginning of the week to join the U.S. army in California. Canadian-born radio man moved to Seattle in 1947 where his family took out first citizenship papers resulting in his being eligible for American draft law.

Tallest Flagpole in U.K. Given to Festival by B.C.

LONDON, Dec. 9 (Reuters).—A 105-foot mast made from fir presented by British Columbia, will be towed through London tomorrow to the Festival of Britain site on the south bank of the Thames. Police will escort it.

The mast, weighing six tons, will be the tallest unsupported flag mast in Britain, with 102 feet above ground.

It will be set in position next week in front of the Royal Festival Hall. The mast is 27 inches across the base and ten inches at the top.

Stolen Truck Ends Trip On Steps of City Church

Conscience-stricken car thieves who apparently tried to take their stolen truck to church with them and a driverless truck which refused to follow its towing truck highlighted a series of accidents on misty, rain-swept streets last night.

An unidentified sailor was arrested after the truck he was driving ended up on the steps of the Quadra Street First United Church after striking three parked cars.

A few minutes before the accident the truck had been reported stolen by two youths, who were described as wearing gabardine coats. Owner of the truck is Joseph Menard, 2839 Cedar Hill Road.

SUSPECT CAUGHT

The arrested suspect was caught by Robert Curran of the Royal Auto Sales when the vehicle tried to make his escapade along Quadra Street. The other man escaped. Police searched the area without finding him.

Damage to the truck, a light panel delivery, and the three parked cars was fairly heavy.

Earlier in the evening, at Langford, a logging truck owned by Harway Sawmills Ltd. was being towed by another truck driven by Wallis E. Peace, 1438 Hillside Avenue.

Everything was going well—except that the broken-down truck had no driver.

Refusing to follow the leader onto the road, the heavy, driverless truck careened across the highway into a parked car and then back across the road again into a telephone pole.

The pole was snapped off at the base bringing wires down across the highway. The would-be driver of the towed truck was unidentified.

Damage to the parked car and the logging vehicle was heavy. R.C.M.P. officers had a difficult job untying the resultant traffic jam.

About 8.30 p.m., city police answered a call to Victoria West where a car driven east on Esquimalt Road by Robert Waite Fraser, 941 Workman Street, and making a "U" turn was in collision with one travelling west on Esquimalt Road driven by Harry C. Llewellyn-Smith, Cadboro Bay.

KEPT GOING

The Fraser car kept going to collide with a parked car owner by Arnold T. Predrickson, Suite 4, Mac's Auto Court.

Damage to two moving cars was heavy and to the parked car, slight.

The accident occurred just east of Russell Street near the B. & O. railway crossing.

About 10.30 p.m. a front-to-rear collision on Pandora Avenue near Cook Street resulted in heavy damage to two cars.

One driven west on Pandora by Mrs. Winifred Regan, 1482 Third Street, Sidney, forced to stop suddenly at Oxford University on an annual bursary of £500.

The student attended Langara and Lord Kitchener public schools in Vancouver, Ladysmith Public School, and Comox Public School. His look his secondary education at Comox, Quonset Consolidated, and Duke of Connaught.

"I've done so much traveling in this province that it's hard to know where home is," he said, "but I like to think of Comox as the family headquarters."

His mother, Mrs. H. E. Stewart, lives in Leighbridge, Alta.

Rhodes Scholar Calls Comox Home

James Mateinier, grandson of a Comox pioneer, is the winner of a Rhodes Scholarship.

Announcement was made last night by the Rhodes Scholarship selection committee at the University of British Columbia.

The honor is subject to final confirmation by Rhodes trustees in London.

Mateinier, a final-year U.B.C. economics student, 21 years old, is the grandson of the late Lucius Robert Gillis of Comox.

Under terms of the scholarship, he will study at Oxford University on an annual bursary of £500.

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W. Beddington Heads Council

W. Beddington has been named president of the Greater Victoria Film Council for 1951.

Other officers are H. Kerr, vice-president; J. Lambert, treasurer, and Miss C. Firth, depos officer.

A report on the film councils of the Island was presented by Ernest Belton of the National Film Board. He reported that the Alberni Valley Film Council had done an excellent job in the past five months by increasing its showings in the community.

The council is purchasing outright prints of the movies "Come Saturday" and "Silks and Satins." A preview of the films "Yellowstone" and "Steps of the Ballet" was held by the group.

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Legion Branch Sets Meeting

The Ad Astra Branch of the Canadian Legion will hold its regular monthly meeting at 8 p.m. Monday in the Britannia Branch Hall. An important resolution will be proposed at the meeting.

An election of officers from the following slate will be held:

President, Phil Oliver; first vice-president, M. P. Biggs; second vice-president, Miss L. Brinkworth; treasurer, Ellis Todd; executive, E. Wilkinson, Reg Pring, Alf Savage and Bruce Wheeler.

Ad Astra Branch, in conjunction with the Air Force Officers' Association and R.C.A.F. Association, is holding a pre-Christmas cocktail party at the Monterey Restaurant, December 16 from 8 to 7:30 p.m.

JET PIONEERS

Great Britain began work on centrifugal-type jet engines as early as 1936.

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Sure Success . . . this recipe is on the package

Chocolate Chip Cookies

½ lb. (1 cup) butter or other shortening
½ cup granulated sugar
½ cup brown sugar, firmly packed
1 egg, well beaten
1 cup sifted flour
½ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon baking soda
1 package Baker's Chocolate Chips
½ cup chopped nut meats
1 teaspoon vanilla

Cream shortening, add sugars gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add egg and mix thoroughly. Sift flour once, measure, add salt and baking soda; sift again. Add flour in two parts; mix well. Add chocolate chips, nuts, and vanilla; mix thoroughly. Drop from teaspoon on ungreased baking sheet 2 inches apart. Bake in moderate oven (375°F.) 10 to 12 minutes. Makes about 50 cookies.

You'll be inspired to try over so many other uses yourself

Editorial Staff of Colonist Alert to Community Requirements

Pictured here are members of the Daily Colonist's editorial staff on the eve of the newspaper's 82nd birthday. These are the men and women who strive to make the paper's high stand and of fair news coverage and to keep it in the tradition of its forebears, a newspaper devoted to justice and the welfare of the community. Front row, left to right: R. A. Gurney, Roy Murdock, Mrs. Eileen Learoyd, Miss Waode Stachon, Miss May Murray, William Cove, W. T. Gail. Second row, left to right: G. L. Mortimore, Fred McNeil, Fred Barnes, Tom Taylor, Seth Ballott, John Jonts, Sandham Graves, Chris Carey, Ray Wormald, Brian O'Connell, Jim Eddy, Erith M. Smith. Third row: Lyall Dagg, Gordon Forbes, R. W. Mundall, standing behind: Frank Meade, Arnie Myers, Ron Baird, Ray Holmes, Bob Kennedy, Jim Ryan, Trevor Collins, Lawrie Joslin, R. G. Morton, Jim Tang, George Bonevia. Absent when this picture was taken were J. R. Ayres, Mrs. Dorothy Wroinowski and Douglas Taylor.

Old Lady of Broad Street Counts Many Achievements

In our politics we shall be found the sure friend of reform."

That was in the first editorial of the first edition of The Colonist 82 years ago.

And last year, ago, Toronto Saturday Night, writing on this paper's 80th anniversary, said that "The Colonist has no set politics but stands anything it thinks is not giving the public satisfaction.

"We" the composite we who make up this newspaper are proud of that original declaration, proudest still of the fact that for years later the Old Lady of Broad Street is still unwilling her mind will not fear or favor.

Like most folks the Old Lady is sometimes wrong. And sometimes she may become a little stiff. But we still think she has a lot of integrity and courage.

Some people may, as she has the habit of taking her off on serious. We'd like to assure them that she has still laughs at herself.

FRESH START SOON

Soon she will move from her old home on Broad Street to her quite big new modernistic offices on Douglas Street. She will be getting a fresh start.

Perhaps then she will be forgiven a few nostalgic glances at some of her recent battles. We hope she won't seem too boastful, but rather like an old warrior in the game between battle savering past victories and rueful over defeats.

And if like a warrior the Old Lady speaks with some pride and satisfaction, it is only to declare she is still ready to meet comrades with the same fighting spirit.

It is natural that she should have this spirit. For after the War she welcomed into her household men who had learned in harsh schools that freedom and justice are built primarily on little things in everybody's own home town.

CLOSE TO PEOPLE

From the outset, the Old Lady would like to make it clear that she doesn't claim credit for doing things on her own account. She likes to think she has her ear close to the minds and hearts of the people, because she has the means and responsibility of giving voice to their desires. Sometimes when disputes have arisen or public discontent has seethed she has merely tried to dig out the facts. Sometimes for what she humbly considers the public weal she has taken sides. Quite frankly she regards governments with a wary eye, and frequently she has greeted the period on her own account. For she likes to peer into dark corners and look behind the closed doors and into the back rooms of public administration.

Most of all she has tried to help those who look forward. She has tried to be the servant of progress and the good life.

HELPED VETERANS

One early battle after the war was to aid veterans to getting a square deal. The Colonist fought for better housing. Its editorial helped to bring to public notice the scandal over the veterans housing project at Bracebridge. The Colonist supported those who insisted on an investigation and who fought the battle through the House of Commons.

Result was that defective homes were repaired, others were relocated in price.

When a series of nasty murders soon after the war went unsolved, The Colonist insisted that the police department needed more training and an administrative shake-up. The Police Commission took note and several men to the R.C.M.P. training school, started a regular program of training, increased the staff and made important administrative changes.

The paper revealed a great report on the Point Ellice bridge. The result was a new check on the bridge which resulted in the City Council imposing speed and load limits, but also uncovering conditions of a new bridge. Mindful of the tragedy of 1896, when 58 perished through official carelessness, The Colonist kept urging a new bridge. Recently, the bridge was re-assessed by engineers, who said it should be replaced. This time the City Council acted, and a money by-law will be voted on soon to finance the project.

The Colonist advocated a unified transportation system for this area. The initial deal did not look like a good one. The Colonist said so, and the voters apparently agreed, for they voted it down. Result was a new and better transportation deal for Greater Victoria.

When people began to complain about the new hospital insurance administration, The Colonist sent a reporter to try to dig out the facts. The report disclosed a startling situation and a scandalous handling of public funds. So great was the public outcry that the Government was forced to reorganize the entire service.

LED IN OBJECTING

Most recently, when the Government tried to take authority to set premiums without limit by law, in contravention of long-established democratic practices, The Colonist led in objecting. The Government was forced to withdraw its proposal.

The Colonist has always felt that democratic governments owed it to a democratic democracy. On a down-town site has fought for greater economy and efficient operation. After the war Victoria felt serious housing crisis and it seemed to look as if rehabilitation was lagging behind meeting the needs of a growing city. There was the starting of a number of critical but constructive articles of investigation and suggestions. The result was a streamlined operation in which there was with the old system, the council.

FINDINGS PUBLISHED

The paper instituted a reporter to dig up facts on the operation of the City Hall. His findings were reported in a series of articles. Within two weeks, the council ordered a survey by a firm of management engineers. The report followed, many of The Colonist's findings and recommendations. Result of administration which, it was explained differed from that of the old City Hall, was a reduction of the old guard were still supporting, and to still action by a new manager.

The Colonist ran stories to show that a number of municipal departments, dealing matters into their own hands, were operating without a full-time city manager plan before the City Hall. It was also instrumental in getting a new manager appointed by a vote of the council.

Consequently it has held the view that amalgamation of Greater Victoria into four separate municipal governments, with costly overlapping and duplication of services, the establishment of an area that is not a municipal unit, is an anachronism.

Provincial politics have so far kept this area short of the ideal, but there have been forward steps, which The Colonist has always supported, such as the Greater Victoria water board, the Victoria-Esquimalt union health board.

As the result of The Colonist campaign, Victoria City Council placed a by-law before the people asking whether they wished municipalization investigated by an impartial group. The people voted overwhelmingly in favor but, so far, the council has not acted.

Cars kill more people than wars. Victoria and district, like most other areas, has had a tremendous increase in automobile traffic since the war's end. The Colonist has constantly urged recognition of new traffic problems.

ACTION SECURED

Its persistent campaign have brought new traffic lights, abolition of outmoded traffic rules, substitution of more modern ideas. The Colonist has directed public attention to accident tolls at numerous danger points, and public pressure has brought action. The new traffic circle at the Fountain intersection is but one example.

On the know-how, isn't that bad roads make bad accidents. The Colonist has urged and is still urging a new arterial entry into the city from the Island Highway by by-pass "Death Alley." The Government has so far been contrived with promises, but this newspaper has done its share to ensure that the Government does not forget its promises, on the road or on the Patricia Bay Highway.

FAVORS SQUADRON

The paper fought hard and long over the need for more adequate defence measures for the West Coast because it believes the Government is far behind the people in heeding the needs of the times. The Colonist has supported air force veterans in their request for basing of a reserve squadron here.

It has been critical of the lack of action on civil defence measures. It printed a series of articles by Dr. A. P. McNair to outline the need and the problem.

When residents complained repeatedly about poor telephone service and the attitude of the telephone company, The Colonist ran an article which bluntly put their case. Company officials came forward with renewed pledges of action.

The Colonist backed the Chamber of Commerce in its efforts to have the harbor deepened, fisherman's wharfage built and Ogden Point dredged. Improved docks, that the Federal Government did deepen the harbor and build a fishermen's wharf, and the C.N.R. improved Ogden Point—not all that was wanted, but something.

A more enforceable law on drunken driving and more impartial trials of drunkenness have been urged as steps to cut down highway casualties. And The Colonist had the police doctor present the case.

The Colonist listened to health authorities warning of the dangers of septic-tank sewage disposal in crowded Inner Saanich and relayed to the public the danger of serious epidemic disease.

When there was periodic examination of drivers as a further aid to safety, long term licence plates and drivers' licenses as economy measures, which The Colonist urged and which have been adopted.

When Brig. W. O. Colquohoun discovered, while overseas, that graves of veterans were being marked without designation of regimental, in violation of proud army tradition. The Colonist shared his indignation. The paper started a storm, of protest that spread through other newspapers across Canada and into the House of Commons. It brought the admission from Defence Minister Brooks Claxton that it was all a blunder that would be rectified.

But the Old Lady is shouting and controversial too. Perhaps she has said too much and will be thought immodest. But it is so close to meeting time and the start of a new life, she couldn't resist.

Direct Colonist Policy

H. F. MATSON
Publisher

J. H. NIGHTMAN
Managing Director

H. S. GRAVES
Editor-in-Chief

Victoria Grows Quickly, But Colonist Grows Faster By Offering Community Best Service Obtainable

Day by day a newspaper must take the responsibility of serve. If it serves well it endures and grows as The Colonist has done for 82 years.

When The Colonist started in 1858 it was printed from a lively shack on Wharf Street. Its circulation was 200 and its newspaper equipment consisted of one hand press, one type case and a pair of scissors. Today it continued to move forward over 80 years as Victoria and environs expanded.

During the past decade Victoria has grown faster than at any time since the old gold rush days. But The Colonist, by trying to offer the best service obtainable, has grown even faster.

In ten years circulation has more than doubled, rising from 21,000 to nearly 50 per cent above its nearest competitor, and exceeds the combined total of all other Vancouver Island dailies. The Colonist is the only morning paper in Canada to hold a dominant position in the community.

FIVE MAJOR SERVICES

Today the major news and feature services bring reports from all the world. In many cases they are a expensive duplication, but usually so, for this is the best insurance of balanced treatment. Canadian Press, Reuters, Associated Press, The North American Newspaper Alliance and International News Service with thousands of reporters, editors and communicators, bring to The Colonist newsroom and to the community as complete, accurate and impartial coverage of world affairs as it is possible to get. Two teletype machines chatter a constant monitor as they pour in thousands upon thousands of words daily to be sifted and selected by editors to meet local needs.

Whether it be sports, music, wars or Hollywood chitchat The Colonist has tried to get the best there is to interest or inform its readers.

COVERING WAR

Today worthed eyes are focused on Korea and the United Nations. On the spot for this newspaper is H. T. Matson, its publisher, is covering the Korean war for The Colonist are Bill Bear, with the P.P.C.L.I. and Dave McIntosh with the R.C.N. both Canadian Press reporters. To collect the overseas pictures are the combined facilities of I.N.S. and A.P. under such top men as A.P.'s Don Whitehead and Lief Erickson and International's Howard Handleman and Lee Pierson, with their staffs of deputies. All these have been killed, wounded or taken prisoner writing or recording in photography the progress of the war.

At United Nations headquarters are Practical Carpenter of A.P. and Pierre Huss of I.N.S., as well as reporters of Canadian Press. Sub-committee considered one of the most all-round writers in the newspaper business brings The Colonist features, sports and columns. Kingsley Smith, known the world over for his ability to get out the news from behind the scenes, brings I.N.S.'s European bureau Howard and Alton Blakeslee, A.P. science writer, keep Colonist readers up to date on the latest laboratory miracles.

VETERAN OF GALLERY

To cover Parliament, The Colonist has Erich Martin, veteran of the Ottawa Press Gallery, and in other capitals reporters are on tap for special reports on Dominion.

In the editorial rooms a staff of 24 trained reporters gathering and writing local news, editors, desk men, columnists, commentators and photographers turn out the finished product for your breakfast table. Scattered through Up-Island communities are 30 other correspondents.

To bring their efforts to your doorsteps a week through storm and sunshine, 181 newsboys are employed in the Greater Victoria area, many more Up-Island.

It takes machines as well as men to make a new paper. As circulation has soared The Colonist has spent outgrown its breeches. Soon a giant new press will be installed capable of turning out up to 40,000 papers an hour.

FAST WIREPHOTO

The Colonist is linked to AP a huge wirephoto network and rapid chain photographic prints from across the was midsize after they are available at the source. Besides the conventional photo-engraving process, The Colonist recently acquired a Fairchild electronic engraver, the latest machine of its kind in the world. It can turn a photographic print into a plastic mat ready for the presses in less than 20 minutes.

A newspaper, of course, does more than distribute news. It is the world's principal medium for bringing together buyers, sellers and traders, and a newspaper's status as an advertising medium is the final test of its quality, for advertisers look at it with live cold, unsentimental eye that weighs value for money expended.

The Colonist leads Dailies in all Canada in classified advertising. It has grown to five times in a decade, a sure sign that The Colonist ranks as a buyer's guide and sellers' medium as it does as a purveyor of reliable news and reasoned comment.

Founder Established Crusading Tradition

Ninety-two years ago tomorrow Amor De Cosmos gave Victoria its first number of The British Colonist.

From the plank little four-page paper which was printed in a leaky shed on Wharf Street on Saturday December 11, 1858 stretches an unbroken line of publication to this edition of The Daily Colonist.

Fifteen Victoria newspapers arose and died while British Columbia was growing from outlawed colony to self-governing province. The Colonist survives as the oldest daily newspaper on the Pacific Coast, and the oldest Canadian daily west of the Great Lakes.

The founder of the Colonist was a strange, wrathful ambitious Nova Scotian with the temperament of a crusader, a pioneer journalist.

HODGE-PODGE NAME

Born William Alexander Smith in 1825, he started work as a grocery clerk in Halifax at the age of 15. He crossed the continent in a crowded wagon to California where he worked for a time as a shoemaker and changed his name to Amor De Cosmos, a hodge-podge of three Latin words meaning "Lover of the Universe." He did so because he felt his name had mixed up with another William Smith.

De Cosmos arrived in Victoria in May, 1858, a tall, swarthy, black-bearded man with blazing eyes and a compulsive manner. He soon became involved in public affairs.

ONLY FEW ISSUES

Three men preceded him in publishing newspapers, but one was not a competitor. Frederick Kerby in 1858 Bishop Demers, first Catholic bishop of Victoria produced a little mission newspaper called Le Courier pour les Pretres. It was a three-hand press with French type a century old. Le Courier lasted only a few issues.

The Victoria Gazette was founded in June 1858 by A. Whitton, a San Francisco printer, and edited by J. Williams. It died in November 1858 a victim of the gold mining slump.

The Vancouver Island Gazette a separate paper was printed on Bishop Demers' old press by Frederick Marriott starting in July 1858. It survived for eight issues.

De Cosmos acquired Bishop Demers' rickety plant and used it to produce The British Colonist from its start until July, 1863, when he brought in the colony's first New power press.

NO HEADLINES

The first number of The Colonist was a modest four-page four-column paper, about 10 by 13 inches, printed on stout paper. It had no advertisements, and not a single headline. It was a weekly sold at 25 cents a copy. At a year The circulation of the first issue was 200.

Nine years before The British Colonist appeared, Vancouver Island had been proclaimed a British colony. One rough believer it appeared, a simple ceremony at Fort Hallett, marked the birth of the colony of British Columbia. Henry Pelham Crease, Attorney General, his former Hudson's Bay Company chief factor was chosen as head colonist was an iron hand and a temperament of determination working

ESTABLISHED TRADITION

De Cosmos set out to attack the despotic rule of Douglas, seat the Hudson Bay Company's grip on the colony and fight for eventual responsible government. He established a crusading tradition which The Colonist has maintained with few lapses.

In his first number De Cosmos set forth the principles of Liberalism: "In our national politics we shall ever be found the sure friend of the parent Government, and loyal to the Queen, a very hollow-hearted being to undermine the connection between the colonies and the Mother Country.

"We shall give a fearful monitory of lawless behaviour, and lawless. Particular attention will be taken in the absorbing questions now before the British North American colonies, the union of three colonies, representation in the Imperial Parliament, the Pacific railroad and the overland road and telegraph.

"In our local politics we shall be found the sure friend of reform. It will be a primary object with us to advocate such changes as will establish self-government. The present Constitution we hold is radically defective. We shall request the addition of responsible government."

NO FLIGHT OF FAY

We believe, with the help of a generous public to make The British Colonist an independent paper, the organ of no clique or party—a true index of public opinion."

After repeated attacks on The Colonist by Douglas and the "Anti-Colonist Government," Douglas official bark. He revived an ancient statute law and demanded The Colonist post a bond of $800, and threatened a fine of $50 for each issue of "libelous" publication. De Cosmos heard of the proclamation two days before time and went to the press with two blank pages. Some copies were distributed and the paper is preserved among the few first stack of files in The Colonist's vault.

MONEY OF RED BRIED

Two days later citizens held a mass meeting and subscribed the fund. Freedom of the press had been achieved.

The Colonist kept calling for reforms. It supported Douglas's Doctrine demanded better streets, a fire brigade, a water system, extension of the franchise, a dock in Esquimalt, simultaneous polling, equitable taxation, a telegraph line.

De Cosmos, a master of bitter invective, pilored his paper through the formative years and saw most of his measures come to pass. In August, 1863 The British Colonist became The Daily British Colonist, publishing five days a week. Later it published six days a week. By 1881 the paper had increased its circulation to 4,000 Today it is about seven times that figure.

NEW PRESS

Next year The Colonist got its new power press. A picture of the press—probably the first picture published in the paper—was too large to fit the right way up, so it was printed sideways.

In the same year Leonard Mc-Clure's year-old newspaper The Press, was bought out by David Wark Higgins and converted to a morning newspaper. The Chronicle which launched a bitter circulation battle. In 1883 De Cosmos sold out to a group of employees, Harris & Co., and devoted himself to politics.

He subsequently became the second Premier of British Columbia after Confederation. He had done a great deal toward bringing about, first, the union of Vancouver Island and British Columbia and later, British Columbia's entry into the Dominion.

He also in 1886 induced the Standard a well-heralded newspaper which gave The Colonist a run for 20 years.

FIRST TELEGRAPH NEWS

In 1866 the first telegraph news came to Victoria. The Colonist and The Chronicle had succeeded in a joint venture to buy their newspaper, at, unadulterated by 1868 as The Daily British Colonist and Daily Chronicle, the under ownership of Higgins and Amor De Cosmos. The Chronicle title was removed in 1872.

The Colonist moved into a new building in 1881 and for the first time about it, with pride:

"We's inauguration of a progressive policy by the local government, the rapid settlement of the country, and the completion of the Canadian railway and drydock, the province has entered upon a new era."

"HANDSOME BUILDING"

"It is not unlikely to assume that a great prosperity is in store for us as a people and setting upon the limestone, there has just been completed, in a central position on Government Street, a handsome brick and stone building with a steam elevator the only one in the province. It is 100 feet in depth and 40 feet in frontage."

When D. W. Higgins retired in 1886 The Colonist was transferred to W. H. Ellis and Alexander A. Macaulay, who sold in 1897 to Hon. James Dunsmuir. In 1900 control of the paper passed to the late J. H. Malcolm, the underwriter's and developed it into a leading daily newspaper.

Today, under H. F. Matson, his son, it leads in its field, with a greater circulation than all other local dailies combined.

Behind The Mike

By F.E.B.

December 10th, 1950 (Jb).

Christmas is closing in on us . . . and CKDA's prize pack age of Christmas programs has been carefully marked "SAVE TO BE LISTENED TILL CHRISTMAS." However, we'll be previewing some of them for you a week or so before the eventful day. Tune in Hall Christmas week, and you'll have quite one heck-an Christmas entertainment fare

RICKY'S LIMERICK

Right now, Ricky Nickelle is asking his listeners to suggest a last line to the HOME FURNITURE limerick, to win either an attractive billiard Mahogany Sewing Cabinet, or a Walnut or Mahogany Coffee Table . . . or a smartly designed occasional chair. All prizes are now on display in the HOME FURNITURE window. The prize will be awarded Friday, December 22nd, and all details may be heard on TO THE HOMEMAKER, heard each morning, Monday through Friday, at 11:05 on CKDA.

HERE'S THE LIMERICK

When Santa is loading his sleigh, He stops off at Pierre's store, they say.
At Home Furniture store, He finds presents galore,
da da, da da, da da, da da, PILLIN . . . AND WAIN, hoppy the last line . . . could prove you'll be the lucky winner. Listen to RICKY NICKELS, Monday at 11:05 for further details.

ORPHANAGE ADDED TO FUND

Because of the overwhelming number of donations sent in by CKDA listeners to UNCLE LOU QUEEN ALEXANDRA SOLARIUM CHRISTMAS PARTY FUND, and the tremendous response to last Saturday's bazaar held at the Naval Veterans Hall (5700), Uncle Lou has decided to add the Orphanage and the crippled wards at the Hospitals to his Christmas, but this year. The fund, to adequately supply presents for these additional recipients, can really use more help. Listen to Uncle Ed each day from 1 to 3, and each evening from 10:30 till midnight, and he'll tell you more about the plans for this Christmas.

CHRISTMAS COMES TO SHOP AND SWAP

Now is the time to advertise that pair of ice skates, electric train or tricycle that your youngsters have grown out of. SHOP AND SWAP, 2:05 to 2:30 each afternoon with Tom O'Neill, will advertise them for you . . . three times for one dollar. Perhaps the very item you would like to give your youngster is now being advertised on this program. Listen and see . . . listen and save!

JOAN LESLIE and PAT O'BRIEN

Stars on the FAMILY FILM ALERT Broadcast, 8:30 Friday night, will be Joan Leslie and Pat O'Brien. The production is titled ROUND TRIP.

TEL OPINION

Hal Veres is on the air nightly at 8:15, Monday through Friday, for 5 "A FRANCIS LIMITED, providing listeners to call in and express their opinions on subjects of public interest. A question regarding the GORDIE will be broadcast Monday.

SEATTLE GAME BROADCAST

Wednesday night at 9:05, Jim & Mo will present the first hockey game from Seattle, with the Ironmen against Victoria Cougars. Bill Stephenson will present a play-by-play description of the game.

NEW SINGER HAILED

The MUSICAL ROUND-UP heard Monday through Saturday from 5:05 to 5:55 started a new singer on his road to fame last week. Dozens of letters have come in to the station welcoming TED GERMAIN of the R.C.A. to the program. His versions of Hank Snow favorites have proved very popular. Ted hails from Nova Scotia. Give him a listen Monday at 5:05.

For CAPITAL ENTERTAINMENT CKDA 1340 ON YOUR DIAL

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MEMORIAL ARENA
MONDAY DEC. 11th
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Nelson Eddy Recalls Happy Times With Jeanette MacDonald in Pictures

—HEARD IN HOLLYWOOD—

By LOUELLA O. PARSONS
Motion Picture Editor
International News Service

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 8 — Nelson Eddy with a tinge of gray in his hair, but as handsome as ever, was about to take off on another of his famous concert tours when he stopped by my house.

I used the overworked word, fabulous, because his great popularity with the fans has never waned, even though he no longer makes sunny movies. His story is one in a million, because only he and Jeanette MacDonald could have kept the arrow of their fans alive by those concert tours.

Entry place Nelson sings rings up a new personal triumph for him. His admirers young and old alike, gather around to welcome him with the same enthusiasm they showed when he and Jeanette were their idols.

YOUNG LIKE HIM

When I mentioned this to Nelson, he said: "The funny thing, Louella, is that many of those fans are youngsters, who weren't old enough to even go to the movies when I was in my film heyday.

"How do you account for it, then?" I asked him.

He replied that he thought it was because his songs such as interest to the young people themselves. After his matinee performances he greets the boys and girls in person, and no matter how busy he is, he answers questions sent him for interviews in the school papers in that way. He says he keeps himself posted on what the teen-agers are thinking and doing and at the same time is able to answer their eager questions about music.

"In it true you even help them with their school homework?" I asked. Seems to me I heard something about that.

"Indeed, I do," he said. "Well, you must admit it would be one way to build your fans." he chuckled. "Besides, don't you help the stars with their homework now and then?"

I said I'd also heard that he had been paged to star in the series of musical shorts to which Artur Rubinstein, Jascha Heifetz and the other giants of the musical world had already appeared.

"The idea interests me greatly," Nelson admitted. "I'd like to do one, if I can find the time.

"How about another picture with Jeanette?" I asked him. "I still get letters from your fans asking us to do something about getting you two teamed up again in another musical."

LIKE ELIJAH

"I'd like nothing better," Nelson answered quietly. "You know, I didn't just desert Hollywood in favor of concert tours. The film years I spent at Metro were the happiest I've ever known, but like Elijah, who departed the stream before it dried up, I got out of Hollywood to avoid becoming a has-been."

"Just a moment," I interrupted. "It happens to know that three of your pictures M-G-M released in London brought more people to the theatre than any first-run film showing at the time. That doesn't sound like a has-been to me."

"No, but that's just the point, Louella," he said. "Jeanette and I were given the studio's best music and story properties—Maytime, Naughty Marietta, Rose Marie, Girl of the Golden West, Chocolate Soldier, and all the others.

NOTHING LEFT

"Finally, there wasn't anything left for us to play in—and any Hollywood star is only as good as his last picture. I learned that from sad experience in some of the pictures I made after leaving Metro. I liked Phantom of the Opera, but the less we say about Northwest Outpost the better—not to mention two others of that caliber.

"Besides, I have, shall we say, grown up since those days, and I doubt if I'd be very convincing in a saga about lovers young dream."

I cited Edie Fitzs's success as an older romantic actress, of course Fitzs is years older than Nelson.

"Ah, yes," Nelson agreed. "Find me a movie like South Pacific and I wouldn't worry either!"

TELLS SECRET

Maybe a few years have been added to Nelson's age, but it's plain to see why women in everywhere find him so attractive. His good looks are the kind that improve with age so that today he is distinguished looking as well as handsome. His manner is gracious, too, and there isn't an ounce of temperament in the strong kind in his makeup. Pity, too, he never a tantrum.

"I'll tell you a little secret, Louella," he said on leaving and there was a hint of wistfulness in his eyes. "I sing all sorts of numbers in a concert, both classical and the old favorites, but my closing number is always a song from 'Maytime,' or some other of my M-G-M musicals."

EARLY DAYS

Upper Canada was organized as a separate diocese of the Roman Catholic Church in 1826.

Amusements
ON THE SCREEN
Alex—"Stars in My Crown," at 2:02, 6:03, 8:30, plus "Military Academy"
Capitol—"The Glass Menagerie" at 1:00, 3:04, 5:08, 7:12, 9:16.
Hamilton — "All About Eve," at 1:28, 4:03, 6:37, 9:18.
Sun.—"Tension," plus "Red Light."
Oak Bay—"My Friend Irma" at 7:00, 9:10
Odeon—"The Sleeping City," at 1:22, 3:22, 5:22, 7:22, 9:25.
Plaza—"Do Young Do Bad," plus "Naughty Arlette"
Royal—"Three Secrets" 1:07, 3:12, 5:17, 7:22, 9:30.

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Theatre Guild Has Fine Production; "Shop at Sly Corner" Starts Monday

THE ENTERTAINMENT WORLD

City Editor,
Daily Colonist

I have a confession to make—I cannot sing or a thing that would fill up the lead for the entertainment column.

All kinds of nice people come up and say—from a great idea for our entertainment column. You do a program broadcast, rub your hands in glee and ask for the great idea. It usually turns out to be a traveling salesman job that just couldn't pass (or) a traveling salesman. The guy with the "great idea" asks you on the back nines with laughter and walks away thinking he's just about made to have with the nearest vaudeville troupe.

GREAT IDEA

You're really to tell him you've got a "great idea—eliminating both time and the traveling salesman line from the face of the earth.

Somebody else has a maiden aunt who was connected with show business 40 odd years and suggests that you do a bright little piece on her. Digging deeper you find that, sure enough, she was connected with show business at one time.

She had a play rejected by the Little Theatre in Punxsatawny, Pa., some years ago than she cares to recall. She showed them the play and they gave her the business.

"You write an entertainment column," says a "friend," "why aren't you entertaining?" This is usually followed by muffled laughter, nice stage and the ribaldry and plaudits of the "friends" "friends."

I say a column large and weighty should fall on his head. He should live so long.

BLESS SOME PEOPLE

Bless the people who actually do come up with great ideas for an entertainment column—there is nothing in number this week but they can't be hitting the ball every week.

I asked a friend who used to write this column what he did when he ran out of ideas. Understandably, he was about to ask me the same question he now writes a radio column and one of the tubes has blown out on his radio.

THEATRE GUILD

Here's something. The Victoria Theatre Guild has a top-notch little production coming up tomorrow night. The Vaughan Court Theatre is called "The Shop at Sly Corner" and well worth seeing.

Starting at 8.30 o'clock.

It's about an old lady of [illegible] living alone, unfortunately, though, all the romances he got lost, he [illegible] to know another person who writes a column.

Shop by your permission which may stand me on my feet by getting a new columnist in this corner with next Sunday's paper.

NEW EXPORT

Jamaica has a new export—calypso records.

Visitors to the island who have heard the zany native songs and have tried to memorize or jot down the amusing and sometimes racy lyrics will now have the chance of being able to buy an album recorded on the island.

Eight of the calypsos have been put on wax by Robert Porter and "Lord" Davey with the backing of the colorful Tower Islanders native orchestra.

The songs include "Brown Skin Gal" "Rum and Coconut Water," "Ten Penny Nail," "Bargie" "Not Me," "Hold Him, Joe," "Millie" and "Pussy Name of Place in Jamaica."

RECORDED MUSIC

The Recorded Music Society's monthly meeting last week drew an attendance of 50 at the Rendezvous Club.

Included in the program were Kurt Weill's "Down in the Valley" dramatic folk opera; ballet music from Les Sylphides, the "Waldstein Sonata" by Beethoven, and several piano compositions by Gabriel Fauré played by Kathleen Long.

H. E. Stubbings program director, announced that the next meeting of the club will be held January 3.

WINS REBIC APPLAUSE

A Montreal-born baritone has captured the hearts of even the Russians in Vienna.

Tall, 28-year-old George London, sang the title role opposite Lisa Wolfisch in Tchaikovsky's opera, "Eugen Onegin," and, after the opening-night performance, even the Russians joined Vienna's music-loving elite who rose and called for encore after encore.

Young girls rushed down from the gallery to about and clap until table discussion by advanced city critics. A great attendance at the Centre was noted for this once-a-month Artistic Evening.

The public were invited to the discussion.

HOLLYWOOD SOUNDTRACK

The greatest and longest movie in history will soon be released by M-G-M.

It is "Quo Vadis" filmed in Rome at a cost of $6,500,000. The running time has been set at four hours, outstanding out "Gone With the Wind" by ten minutes and costing one million more dollars than "G.W.W."

These facts were released by Producer Sam Zimbalist and Director Mervyn Leroy following their return to Hollywood from a seven months shooting stint in Rome.

"Quo Vadis" stars Robert Taylor and Deborah Kerr.

To prove what the Hollywood thought of Taylor a sightseeing guide pointing out the Italian Japanese Was literalized it thus.

And here is the Arabian Was where screen idol Robert Taylor led 2,000 extras yesterday in a victorious march.

A fair sandstorm of notable, who worked spontaneously an extra on the film included Gina Marcella, daughter of the radio star Robert Taylor, 400-pound father's man in Rome, and Miss Holland of 1949.

The former bodyguard of King Victor Emmanuel did his bit as a soldier under the first postwar president of the Republic of Italy Marina absent as a prisoner. The set medium was a noble and subserved to the glory of Duke of Rapallo and Duke of Ivrea.

ITEMS

James Mason was seen standing in line outside Paramount Film office today to land a role in the Paramount production, "Dear Brutus" of his call. The movie tells the story of a rat that inherits a house and a family. George Pal producer of the film "Destination Moon" has a new planetary space running up at Paramount and has hired it. "When Worlds Collide." It is the story of two planets that clear themselves loose from the solar system and blast off into space, one destroying the earth and the other becoming a new world in which a selected few escape in a space ship. The national Jackpot Bowling Stakes stampeded for prizes in Nat Holt-Paramount's "Warpath," filmed in Dehydrated locations in Montana.

WELL KNOWN

Kayak the Eskimo term for a fishing boat is known to all dialects from Greenland to Alaska.

Dress rehearsal of the Victoria Theatre Guild's new play "Shop at Sly Corner" was held Friday night at Langham Court Theatre. Members of cast for mystery drama are shown above putting finishing touches to parts. Left to right are Roy Blackett, Mainet J. A. Bellamy and Laura Lukyn. Play starts tomorrow night at 8.30.

Photo by Plate

Barbara Stanwyck Has Title Role In "B.F.'s Daughter" on Networks

—THIS WEEK'S RADIO—

By ARNIE MEEKS

Barbara Stanwyck will carry the title role of "BF's Daughter" on the Lux Radio Theatre dramatization to be aired on CBS and CBC Trans-Canada at 8 p.m. Monday. Her co-star will be Howard Duff.

ADVENTURESS

Celeste Holm stars in an hour-long adaptation of "Dangerous" over CJVI at 8 p.m. Tuesday. She plays a waitress who in rapid succession quits her job, leaves a suicide note, goes to New York, gets hit by a truck, takes amnesia pretends to a million dollar fortune, is proposed by a reporter and finally marries the guy.

CELESTE HOLM

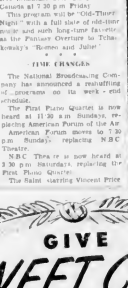
GREEK SYMPHONY

The Christian Symphony of the Greek composer Harlaos Perpessas will have its American radio debut on the New York Philharmonic-Symphony broadcast at 10 a.m. Sunday.

The Christian Symphony was first played by the orchestra in a Thursday concert earlier this season. It aroused so much comment that conductor Dimitri Mitropoulos asked for a repeat performance. Nelson Eddy will sing the baritone solo. Mitropoulos will conduct the Philharmonic-Symphony broadcast at 10 p.m. Sunday.

POP CONCERT GUEST

George Murray, popular Kingsway Canadian tenor, will be guest artist on the Toronto Symphony Pop Concert broadcast over CBC Trans-Canada at 7.30 p.m. Friday.



GEORGE MURRAY

This program will be "Old-Timers' Night" with a full slate of old-time music and with long-time favorites as the Pathetic Overture to Tchaikovsky's "Romeo and Juliet."

TIME CHANGES

The National Broadcasting Company has announced a rescheduling of programs on its week-end schedule.

The First Piano Quartet is now heard at 11.30 a.m. Sunday, replacing American Forum of the Air. American Forum moves to 7.30 p.m. Sunday, replacing NBC Theatre.

NBC Theatre is now heard at 3.30 p.m. Saturday, replacing The First Piano Quartet.

The Saint starring Vincent Price goes to a new time, from its 3.30 p.m. Saturday slot to a new time at 9.30 p.m. Sunday.

NEW SERIES

Top-selling guitarist Chet Atkins will be in and in the corridors of the R.C.A. Building to announce sources, at any hour of the day or night, for tape-recorded interviews.

The interviews will be played on a 15-minute show Mondays and Tuesdays at 10 a.m.

CHIEF BROADCAST

The famed 30-voice Mormon Tabernacle Choir will be heard in a special program of Christmas music broadcast over the ABC net at 4.30 p.m. today.

The broadcast will originate in the chapel at Boys' Town, Nebraska. Selections will include the "Gloria," Excerpts, two Negro spirituals "Go Tell It on the Mountain" and "Rise Up Shepherds and Follow" Silent Night" "Adeste Fidelis," Jesus Bambino "The Birds," "The Christ Child," and the Westminster Carol."

NETWORK CHANGE

Music With the Girls, the popular Sunday feature developed by Al Bell, has moved to the NBC network. The show is now heard at 1.30 p.m. Sundays.

The program features an orchestra and chorus of 45 girls. The Girls, all ex-service personnel, began in 1947 as a group of 30. They built their reputation by entertaining at conventions and by singing and giving demonstrations of food products in supermarkets across Wisconsin.

The First Nighter

Play "Pride's Crossing" Heavy in Moral Decay

By CHARLES BINSTEIN

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (INS)—If you enjoyed polite entertainment of Pride's Crossing Mass., ever fights out what's going on behind the outward respectability of the affluent Cloudier household, a decidedly original is going to need an overdue booster.

Victor Wolfson's exhausting drama "Pride's Crossing" which opened at the Biltmore this week, deals with murder insanity, hate, cupidity hatred which is described as "the most lasting of pleasures" and sundry peccadilloes beneath mansions.

How it came out all right in the end is almost as difficult to explain as how it ended at all. This is what happens.

Old lady lives in house with widower son, pleasant lady companion, the son's seventeen-year-old son, the companion's 11-year-old son, and the nine young lady also come to take care of the seventeen-year-old son's rheumatic fever. What are you going to do?

SO-BILE

Mildred Dunnock as the queenly New England lady who keeps her deceased husband's mistress as a companion, and Tamara Geva, as the unful companion, do their best in the lead parts which scream for asylum a real one.

Mr. Wolfson could not get in point across more effectively if he had an usher his you over the head with a heavy sufficiency of the actual, and the illusion exists that frequently that's just what happens (if you go for heavy-handed moral decay), this is the baby.

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Two Escape Injury in Malahat Accident

Car pictured above received about $700 damage Friday when it plunged over 40-foot embankment on Tunnel Hill, Malahat Drive. R.C.M.P. reported driver was Earl John Boyd, and passenger was Paul Leighoer, both of Port Alberni. Both escaped injury. Car is believed to have skidded on slippery pavement and crashed through guardrail. Car would have plunged farther down bank if it hadn't struck stump.

Racing Results, Entries

At Hollywood

FIRST RACE—
Fleeting Fancies 117 90 60 40
Mr. Mischief 117 7.20 3.40
Fair Commander 117 3.80
Time 1:13 4/5.

SECOND RACE—
Bel Ami 117 90 60 40
Mr. Chuck 117 9.80 4.40
Bill Brown 117 3.80
Colonel Gamon 117 2.60
Jerall Dria 117 Bar Gift 100

THIRD RACE—
Super Sunshine 115 Bright as Arms 114
Mr. Jim Cook 115

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth
Court Off 112 Heat Lightning 114
Sunset Sunshine 112 Dark Bid 114
Ruffed Grouse 112 Vertigo 114
Phoenicia 112 Miss Carolina 112
Ty O Kelly 112 Dark Dancer 112
Moolness 112 Dan Patch 112
Black Up 112
EIGHTH RACE—Six furlongs
Mr. Chuck 112 Spritely Bar 112
Bill Brown 112 Mr. Mr. Ward 112
Colonel Gamon 112 Dancing 112
Gallant Sam 108 Dalmagro Town 115
Jerall Dria 112 Sun Up 112
Bar Gift 100

Tropical Park

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Fillies
Miss Cliff 120 Lily Marion 120
Miss Dixie 120 Ed Gallion 120
Fairchance 120 Parchment 120
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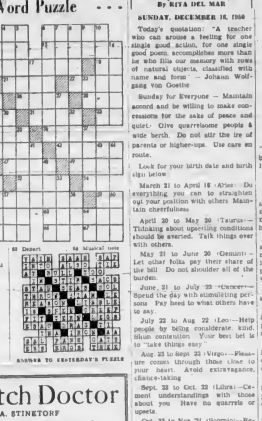
The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle - - -



ACROSS
1. Rash alcoholic gathering
6. Which
9. Point of view
10. Grandfather
12. Retailer
13. Cried for mother
14. Guy who carries a torch
15. Field for fodder
16. Cod grainer
18. Great Russian poet
20. Tightened
22. Ocean
24. Tribe of respect
26. Noun in Spanish
27. Brown
28. Ever
29. Fe. gad
31. Lo!
33. Ceremony
35. Poor public
37. Outstanding
38. Ocean
40. Refrigerator
41. Urge
42. Lack of change
44. Fuel in drum
46. Lie in wait
48. Ancient deity
50. Profile for "fond"
52. Long high
53. Prelude drama
55. Ancient
57. Midnight
59. Wad form
61. Intended to be
62. Cleansing

DOWN
1. Old Dutch liquid measure
2. Cover the dummy
3. Large mammal
4. Ever
5. Protective game
6. Tax form
7. Ancient lib
8. Sacrificial
9. Cycle
10. Ever
11. Bishop's cap
12. Dominant in Canada
13. A summary
14. Ever
15. Stream of Pacific Islands
17. Ancient platform
19. Pertaining to dioxide
21. Ever
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45. Ever
47. Ever
49. Ever
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21. Provision
23. English boys' school
25. Artificial animal
26. Ever
27. Cricket
28. Clustered
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62. Deport
64. Material note

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

Daily Astrology

By RITA DEL MAR

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1950

Today's quotation: "A teacher who can arouse a feeling for one single good action, for one single good poem, accomplishes more than he who fills our memory with rows of natural objects, classified with name and form — Johann Wolfgang von Goethe

Sunday for Everyone — Maintain accord and be willing to make concessions for the sake of peace and quiet. Give guarrlesome people a wide berth. Do not stir the ire of parents or higher-ups. Use care en route.

Look for your birth date and birth sign below

Birth March 21 to April 19 (Aries)—Do everything you can to straighten out your position with others. Maintain cheerfulness.

April 20 to May 20 (Taurus)—Thinking about upsetting conditions should be averted. Talk things over with others.

May 21 to June 20 (Gemini)—Let other folks pay their share of the bill. Do not shoulder all of the burden.

June 21 to July 22 (Cancer)—Spend the day with stimulating persons. Pay heed to what others have to say.

July 23 to Aug. 22 (Leo)—Help people by being considerate, kind, tolerant. Your best bet is to "take things easy."

Aug 23 to Sept 22 (Virgo)—Pleasure comes through those close to your heart. Avoid extravagance, chance-taking.

Sept. 23 to Oct. 22 (Libra)—Cement understandings with those about you. Have no quarrels or upsets.

Oct. 23 to Nov. 21 (Scorpio)—Research data, news, information. Be careful in transit, and as to what you say or write.

Nov. 22 to Dec. 21 (Sagittarius)—Protect your financial welfare, belongings. Minor injuries should encrase sharply needs.

Dec 22 to Jan 19 (Capricorn)—Bring personality, amiability into play. Have no part of inharmony.

Jan. 20 to Feb. 18 (Aquarius)—Think over means of stimulus relations. Avoid being thrown off the track.

Feb 19 to March 20 (Pisces)—If acquaintances are "touchy," mistrust their company. Practice praise, also receive attitudes

Planning Ahead—Good for social, entertaining, etc.: December 11, 12, 14, 16, 18, 21, 22, 26, 30.

MONDAY DECEMBER 11, 1950

Today's quotation: "The current animal exchanged as a climber or be may instruct and mature a man more rapidly than the reading of a hundred volumes."—Paul Valery.

Monday for Everyone—Make financial and business plans prior to noontime. After which steer clear of impractical credit arrangements, protect your prestige, deal tactfully with people.

Look for your birth date and birth sign below

March 21 to April 19 (Aries)—Step up credit rating, vocational progress; use current revisions to advantage.

April 20 to May 20 (Taurus)—Back up a program of action for contemplated projects. Be practical, conservative.

May 21 to June 20 (Gemini)—Call in debts if necessary to strengthen your reserves. Split coals with others.

June 21 to July 22 (Cancer)—Profit through down-to-earth transactions with public, and united efforts. Keep plans flexible.

July 23 to Aug 22 (Leo)—Tender a helping hand or seek aid. Give thought to physical welfare stock of clothing

Aug. 23 to Sept. 22 (Virgo)—Look toward bonus pals, or those you love

Sept. 23 to Oct. 22 (Libra)—Let dilemmas reach a natural solution, but "lose" your land, be dutiful to parents, elders.

Oct. 23 to Nov. 21 (Scorpio)—Exchange calls, discuss matters with people in your vicinity, engage in a "give and take" of opinions.

Nov. 22 to Dec. 21 (Sagittarius)—Early morning: better financial position. Later: give thought to the state of your bank account.

Dec. 22 to Jan. 19 (Capricorn)—Display your wares in the best light, show leadership ability. Make necessary revisions.

Jan. 20 to Feb. 18 (Aquarius)—Transact business; complete tasks at hand. Do some investigating in advance; unearth facts

Feb 19 to March 20 (Pisces)—Morning pursuits prior to field of commercial finance. Promote current friendships, joint interests.

Planning Ahead—Good for sociability, entertaining, etc.: December 11, 12, 14, 16, 18, 21, 22, 26, 30. January 2, 3, 8, 11, 13, 18, 22, 24.

(Consolidated News Features Inc.)

MIDGET DEER

Rooster, small deer about 36 inches high at the shoulder, are preserved in large numbers on British Island.

LONDON (CP) — The London borough of Poplar has just received an income tax refund of $136,446 for 1924-46 and $30,246 for 1946-48.

SMALL TALK

ACROSS THE BACKYARD FENCE

by Syms

Sunrise and Sunset

DECEMBER

Time at noonin and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria B.C. for the month of December 1950

Date	Sun rise	Sun set	Date	Sun rise	Sun set
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11	7.47	4.19	21	7.50	4.23
12	7.47	4.19	22	7.50	4.23
13	7.48	4.19	23	7.50	4.24
14	7.48	4.19	24	7.50	4.24
15	7.48	4.19	25	7.50	4.25
16	7.49	4.19	26	7.50	4.26
17	7.49	4.19	27	7.50	4.27
18	7.49	4.19	28	7.50	4.28
19	7.49	4.19	29	7.50	4.29
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White Witch Doctor

By LOUISE A. STINETORP

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CHAPTER VI—Continued

Bee was there in four days. Wait, in an hour after the big drums pulsated the message of our need. She left Naem. But she didn't come overland; she and a dozen men dug what every white man in the Congo was afraid to do. She shot the repute of the Naem. But even so she was too late.

Dr. Mary had very few patients to ask about Sister Agatha's illness and death. She sensed my feeling of frustration and assured me: "There wasn't anything you could do. One way or another, folks kill themselves all the time. I was eager for Dr. Mary to visit my "homeplace." There were a thousand questions I wanted to ask her.

"What about your other patients—the strangers? Dr. Mary asked. "Most of them are suffering from filth, suppurating tooth roots, bellyaches and malnutrition. They need meat. Ellen: Africans are meat eaters, and you can't change a man's eating habits overnight without doing him harm. In their villages they hunt almost every day; here in the compound they become members of the workbench and there is no time left in which to stalk and kill the game they crave and need. Why don't you, as a doctor, do something about that, Ellen?"

I was already used to being called a doctor, but I quickly denied right to the little by Dr. Mary.

She brushed my protestations aside. "The African native draws wonderful distinctions among his own witch doctors, but so far as you and I are concerned, they see no difference between us. They'll expect as much from you as I'm able to give them. No matter what kind of cure is brought in to you pray and go to work on it.

"The strangers are always in bad shape before they come to you. Just treats yourself to that. If the witch doctor can cure these, he does. He sends his hopeless cases to us. If we cure them, well and good, if they die—well, that maintains his prestige and leaves them ours.

We were silent for a moment. Then my companion asked gently, "What about those patients who don't come to you?

"Why don't they come to me?"

"Fear. Fear of you who are unknown to them. Fear of the trip from their villages, for they believe that when they leave the influence of the friendly spirits of their villages, they are exposed without protection to all the evil spirits of the jungle.

"Fear of the wrath of the witch doctor—lions he has sent them. Just a little advice from an old-time to a greenhorn: make friends with the witch doctors if you can, Ellen. And if worst comes to worst, don't antagonize them any more than you have to. Remember, many of them are very intelligent, most of them are clever, and all of them have behind them centuries-old tradition. So do you, for that matter, but the witch doctor's tradition is known to his people."

As Dr. Mary chatted on we rounded a bend in the path and came in view of the three huts which had once been her hospital and were now mine. I stopped and stared. The doors, or at best two dooms, patterns who would normally have greeted me were lost in a sea of mahogany-hued bodies. Mr companion strode forward, calling a greeting to this one and that, until she stood directly in front of the central hut. There she stopped, turned, and saw me still staring.

"Come on" she called. "Then when she saw the surprise in my face she explained, "Remember because of my age if nothing else I am the Big White Witch Doctor and you're only the Little White Witch Doctor."

"Goodness" I exclaimed, "how old does one have to be to—to become as big a witch doctor as all this?"

"I'm seventy-three, Ellen," she said simply.

My mouth fell open. Except for her snow-white hair, she didn't look a day over forty-five.

"Well, let's get to work. That's why we're here."

First she stood up in front of the throng and harangued them. "What were you saying?" I whispered.

"I told them that if myself I haven't any power to heal this ill all comes from Maungu—the Magic God—that only he can give life and bread broken bodies." She paused to laugh lightly. "After all, it's the truth, and it makes them feel better and maybe makes his work a little easier."

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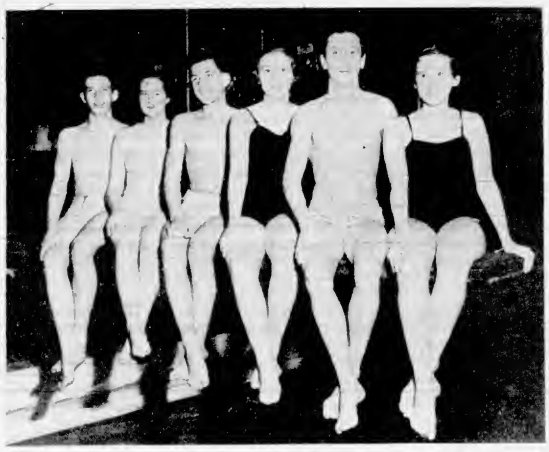


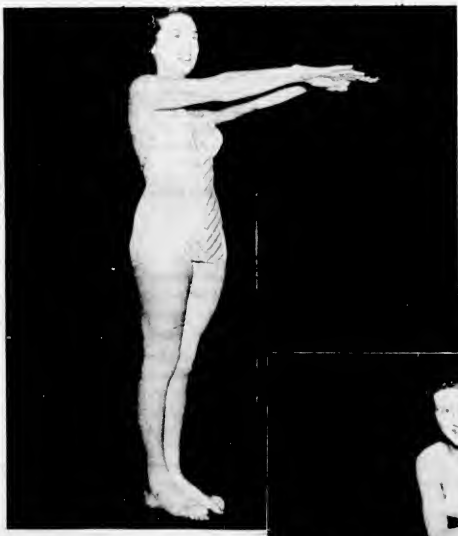
"The weather outside may be frightful
But the water inside is so delightful"

With apologies to the popular song of several seasons ago, the above words describe the sentiments of members of the Y.M.C.A. Swimming Club who in Midwinter are just as enthusiastic about swimming as most people are during the Summer. The 85 members meet every Wednesday evening at the "Y" pool as well as at special classes on Saturday and Sunday.

Every three months 350 pupils from six years of age and up learn how to swim under the instruction of Mr. Archie McKinnon and Mrs. M. L. Naysmith.

Among members and past members who have distinguished themselves in the aquatic world are Peter Salmon, Eric Jubb and Irene Strong, Olympic contenders in 1948, and Joan Morgan, who holds the Canadian senior women's 440 yard backstroke record.

Each Summer a team is sent to the Kelowna Regatta and in the past five years, members have broken 30 Canadian records.



Upper right: Miss Joan Morgan, who traveled to New Zealand with the Canadian relay teams for the British Empire Games.

Upper left: An array of young swimming talent posed on the diving board. Left to right, Peter Kirchner, Norma Stewart, Merlin Hawes, Gillian Watson, Ted Whan and Marilyn Naysmith. The three girls hold the Canadian record for the 120-yard medley relay.

Centre, right: It's not all swimming and here executive members discuss a problem. Seated, Mr. Jack Todd, president, and Mrs. M. J. Naysmith, secretary; centre, Mr. Bob Johnstone, vice-president, and Mr. George Morgan, past president.

Centre, left: Mrs. Rita Norberry, one of the club's fancy swimming experts, prepares for a dive.

Lower, centre: Mr. Stan Powell, Miss Gail Stott right, and Miss Jean Mills.

Lower, right: Miss Gail Stott, Miss Jean Mills and Miss Marilyn Naysmith.

Year-End Wedding Plans Announced

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Gilson, 2562 Cavendish Avenue, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Velma Bertilde to Lieut. (E) Daniel Ewen Galbraith, son of Mrs. Galbraith and the late Mr. V. M. Galbraith of Vancouver. Canon G. Biddle will officiate at the wedding set for December 29 in St. John's Anglican Church.

—Photo by Kiro

Shower Honors Recent Bride

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

In honor of recent bride, Mrs. W. R. Milburn, the former Phyllis Young, her sister, Miss Marge Young and Mrs. R. Milburn, the groom's mother, were co-hostesses at a kitchen shower Friday evening at the home of the latter, 2361 Heron Street. The honor guest was presented with a surcage of pink rosebuds. Bronze chrysanthemums and Christmas decorations were used in the room. The lace-covered table was centred with a bride's cake flanked by red tapers. Mrs. E. H. Birrell presided at the coffee urns and Miss Norma Hager assisted the hostesses in serving. Guests were Mrs. L. Parfitson, Mrs. E. Denby, Mrs. V. Milburn, Mrs. W. Milburn, Mrs. C. Jasper, Mrs. B. Muirhead, Mrs. V. Lea and Misses Joy Milburn, Muriel Huston, Joyce Denby, June Milburn and Marie Milburn.

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Entertain for Admiral

Capt. Hugh F. Pullen, H.M.C.S. Ontario, with Mrs. Pullen will entertain on Tuesday at a dinner party aboard ship to honor Rear Admiral Wallace B. Creery, C.B.E., R.C.N., Flag Officer Pacific Coast, and Mrs. Creery. Covers will be laid for ten.

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Out-of-Town Guests

Out-of-town guests at the Beattie-Sheldrich wedding were Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Schule, Elaine and Brian of Nanaimo, and Mr. N. J. Hall, of Winnipeg.

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Announce Engagement

Of wide interest is the announcement made today by Mr. and Mrs. R. H. B. Kerr, Shasta Place, of the engagement of their daughter, Elspeth Clair, to Mr. James Douglas Heimcken, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heimcken, Moss Street.

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Skaters From Seattle

A group of members of the Rainier Ice Skating Club and the Seattle Skating Club arrived in the city today for their annual skating session with members of Victoria Figure Skating Club at Memorial Arena. Headed by Mr. Stan Sage, president, Rainier Club, and Mr. Vern Campbell, president, Seattle Club the group will include Misses Hilda Jones, Vel Simmons, Elsa Tiemeyer, Eleanor Bilstad, Frances Shelton, Peggy Clifford, Elizabeth Parks, Jo Lass, B. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Paull Lory, Mr. Arthur Orch and family, Mrs. Helen Walker, Lyla Wyatt and Dr. C. A. Milton. They will be met at the plane by members of the Victoria Club.

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The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Tait, 3310 Lee Avenue, was given the names Edwin Bruce at a recent christening ceremony held at the Church of Our Lord. Rev. T. H. Laundy officiated at the ceremony. Godparents for the child are Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Topp and Mr. A. W. Sambrooke. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the parents.

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Out-of-town guests attending the marriage of Miss Peggy Lawson to Mr. Scott Kerr Saturday evening, included the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Lawson, of Powell River, their son and daughter, Mr. Richard Lawson, Port Alberni, and Miss Eleanor Lawson, Vancouver, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. York and Miss Maureen York, Mr. Ron Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Denham, all of Vancouver.

Joan Hume, Mr. H. Brown Married at St. Andrew's

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown are driving to Portland, Oregon, for their honeymoon following their wedding Saturday evening at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Rev. J. L. W. McLean officiated at the double-ring ceremony uniting Joan Hudiah, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hume, 1327 Basil Avenue and the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy J. Brown, 1145 Heald Street. Blanketed baskets of white and yellow chrysanthemums formed the setting for the service, music for which was played by Mr. C. C. Warren.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was radiant in white satin fashioned with sweetheart neck and net yoke with wide collar embroidered with seed pearls over the shoulders to the back fastening of tiny satin-covered buttons, the sleeves were pointed over the wrists and the full skirt tapered to the floor in a slight train. A sweetheart coronet held her veil of silk net. A pearl necklace was her only ornament and she carried a white prayerbook topped with gardenia blooms and red rosebuds with streamers.

Attending the bride were Miss Rita Hume, her sister, as maid of honor, and Mrs. M. Corby, wearing identical turquoise gowns with lace bodice and nylon sheer skirt over turquoise satin, styled with peplum waist and worn with matching lace mitts, and heart-shaped headdresses of turquoise nylon. They carried cascade bouquets of pink and white spray chrysanthemums.

Miss Joan Dormer, four-year-old cousin and namesake of the bride, was a winsome flower girl in a white nylon sheer frock over satin, the little skirt being ruffled from waist to hemline and finished with a pink sash. Her heart-shaped crownlace bonnet was white trimmed with pink flowers and ribbon. She carried a tiny Colonial bouquet of pink and white blooms picked out with blue.

The bridegroom had his brother-in-law, Mr. Bruce Aldridge as best man and ushers were Mr. Ernest Gordner and Mr. Leslie Irvine.

The reception was held at Norway House, where Mrs. Hume greeted in turquoise crepe with black feather-hat and black accessories, and Mrs. Brown wearing a grey lace gown over pink taffeta with grey felt hat trimmed with pink and grey feathers, both having corsages of pink roses and carnations assisted the young couple in receiving the guests. The table, covered with a lace cloth and prettily decorated, was centred with the three-tiered square cake. Mr. Fred Davison, uncle of the groom, gave the toast.

Leaving on the midnight boat for the Mainland the bride wore a grey flannel suit with steel grey accessories, pink blouse and hat, three-quarter-length muskrat coat, and a corsage of gardenias and red rosebuds.

Grace Adams, D. Rourke Say Vows

A wedding of interest was solemnized last evening in St. Andrew's Church when Grace May, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Adams, Amelia Avenue, Sidney, became the bride of Donald James Rourke, only son of Mr. and Mrs. William Rourke.

Given in marriage by her father the bride was lovely in a suit of old rose gabardine with grey accessories. She wore a corsage bouquet of tallman roses and heather and carried a white prayer book from which hung tiny streamers of fresh orange blossoms. Her only jewelry was a diamond and amethyst bracelet worn by the bride's mother on her wedding day.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bell, sister of the bride, was her only attendant and wore a teal blue gabardine suit with matching accessories. She wore a corsage of pink and white carnations.

Best man was Peter Greig.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home where a three-tier cake set with tiny vases of pink and white carnations centred the bride's table. Mr. Cecil H. Holt proposed the toast to the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Rourke left on a honeymoon to Vancouver and Seattle. Upon their return they will reside in Victoria.

Sooke W.A. Raises $71

More than $71 was raised at the annual Christmas bazaar, held under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary to Holy Trinity Church, Sooke. Rev. H. M. Bolton declared the affair open.

In charge of stalls were Mrs. Emily Nixon, Mrs. C. H. Jones, Mrs. William Locke, Jr., Mrs. Jim Coughlin, Mrs. H. W. L. Clowes, Mrs. Gordon Nixon, Mrs. Hugh Piggott and Mrs. G. R. Kendrew.

Tea table hostesses were Mrs. William Calina, Mrs. Ben Grossman, Mrs. Robert Radford, Mrs. Nan Lewellyn and Mrs. Frank Mackie.

Mrs. W. C. Brooks and Mrs. N. MacDonald were in charge of the tea tickets.

A smart programme included two humorous recitations by Mrs. P. L. Carlin, three vocal solos by Ronald Walker and a jolly community sing.

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Wedding at Fairfield United

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Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Vint, 1831 Fern Street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Luella Ellen, to Mr. James Frederick Redlin, R.C.N., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Redlin, Edmonton, Alberta. The marriage will take place December 22 at Fairfield United Church.

Mother's Gold Locket "Something Borrowed"

At a double-ring ceremony Saturday evening at Metropolitan United Church, Rose Frances Moriel, youngest daughter of Mrs. Ellen Mitchell, 650 Admirals Road, and the late John Diamond Mitchell, was united in marriage with Clarence Melvin Maertz, youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Clarence John Maertz of Victoria. Reverend A. F. Wildehouse read the nuptial service.

To the strains of the Wedding March, the pretty bride entered with her brother-in-law, Mr. Stanley Sawyerr. Her bridal gown of gleaming white satin was styled on princess lines with lace yoke and silk point sleeves, the skirt gracefully draped to give a butterfly effect in the back featuring three narrow panels of allover lace down the hips from waist to hemline. Her floor-length veil of illusion net with appliqued satin design, was arranged under a tiara of seed pearls. A gold locket, her father's gift to his bride on their wedding day, was her only jewelry. She carried an arm bouquet of Johanna Hill roses and white carnations to complete her costume.

TURQUOISE SATIN

Mrs. Frank Mitchell, matron of honor for her sister-in-law, chose a turquoise green satin gown with lace yoke, the full skirt from a panelled sashlined petticoat to the back to form a shell-shaped bustle. She wore matching turquoise gloves and a floral headdress of white carnations centred with a red rose. Her arm bouquet was composed of red rosebuds and white carnations.

The best man was Mr. Don Delparte, Vancouver, and ushers were Mr. Stanley Hayward and Mr. Ralph Gardener.

At the reception held at Club Etruria, Mrs. Mitchell and Mrs. Robert Persson, sister of the groom, welcomed guests with the young couple.

Rosebuds decorated the table which was centred with the three-tiered cake. The health of the bride was proposed by Mr. P. D. Ellis.

For a honeymoon at Long Beach, California, the bride wore a rose silk gabardine suit with navy and pink accessories and a three-quarter length fur coat. The couple will reside at 1771 Rockland Avenue.

Nurses Gain $100 at Tea

Victoria Branch, Overseas Nursing Sisters, Canadian Legion, raised more than $100 yesterday afternoon at a tea in the Douglas Room, Hudson's Bay Company.

Miss Marian Cathie was general convener.

Patronesses were Mrs. Clarence Wallace who was unable to attend, Mrs. Percy George, Mrs. E. H. O'Keefe, Mrs. C. A. Watson and Mrs. B. J. Mallett. Receiving were Miss K. W. Gray, past president, Mrs. W. Darrington, president and Mrs. P. Hatcher, first vice-president.

Serving tea tickets were Mrs. R. Hogarth and Mrs. R. Stilborn.

Under auspices of St. David's-by-the-Sea, Cordova Bay, a concert will be given by the North Saanich Musical Society, in the Church Hall Monday at 8 p.m. Assisting artists will be Miss Vera Chatterwell, soprano; Mrs. Grace Beswick, violinist. Scottish songs will be sung by Mr. James Matheson and the Country Gentlemen, a male quartet, who will sing "For V. Edwards, L.R.S.M., A.R.C.T. is conductor and Mr. Barnes accompanist.

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Mrs. Hunter Heads W.A.

A large number of members and friends attended the regular meeting of the Fairfield United Church Women's Association, held in the church hall recently.

The devotional period was led by Mrs. J. J. Williams. Secretarial and financial reports were presented by Mrs. R. Hill and Mrs. A. E. Matcham.

Mrs. O. O. Green presented the report of the nominating committee for officers during the year 1951.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. A. B. Hunter; first vice-president, Mrs. A. E. Matcham; second vice-president, Mrs. D. McNevan; third vice-president, Mrs. W. Heath; recording secretary, Mrs. F. Hill; treasurer, Miss M. Bradshaw.

It was decided to hold a Burns concert on January 24, when a Scottish program will be presented by the YWCA Choral Choir under leadership of Mrs. B. Woods.

Heads W.B.A.

Mr. A. Dunmore was elected president of the WBA, Review No. 1, at the annual meeting held in the K of P Hall.

Other executive members are: Mrs. P. Brighton, past president; Mrs. I. Bowsden, vice-president; Mrs. F. Tapley, officer of the day; Mrs. E. Barr, welfare supervisor; Mrs. A. Rabbe, financial secretary; Mrs. K. Jackson, recording secretary; Mrs. H. Grass, treasurer; Mrs. M. Morley, lady of ceremonies; Mrs. M. Smith, sergeant-at-arms; Mrs. K. Jarman, inner hostess and pianist; vice-president, Mrs. B. Brown, outer hostess; Mrs. B. Thompson, musician; Mrs. M. Minnis, captain of guard team and deputy for the Review of Victoria.

Wedding Early in New Year

Colonist Photo by Jim Ryan

Of interest to a wide circle of friends is the announcement made today by Mr. and Mrs. James McVeetera, 1663 Rockland Avenue, of the engagement of their daughter, Gertrude (Trudie), 1150 McClure Street, to James Douglas Peden, son of Mrs. Peden, 2572 Prior Street and the late Mr. William Peden. The wedding is set for January 2 at 8 p.m. in St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay. The reception will be held at the Strathcona Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Warner To Spend Honeymoon Up-Island

Ivory satin was worn by Ethel Hope Kay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Porteous of Deep Park, for her marriage Saturday evening to William Slight Warner, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Warner, Charlton Road. Rev. N. J. Godfrey performed the ceremony held in St. Columba Church.

Given in marriage by Mr. C. Jowett, the bride's floor-length gown was complemented by a bouquet of deep red roses. Her shoulder-length veil cascaded from a coronet of orange blossoms. The bride's four attendants were gowned in similarly fashioned dresses of orchid, pink and blue taffeta with blue net overskirts. Mrs. L. Ball was matron of honor while the bridesmaids were Miss B. Giles, Miss Sandra Ball and Miss Joan Cooper.

Mr. P. D. Allen was best man. Mr. Lloyd Cooper and Mr. Robert Page were ushers.

One hundred guests attended the reception in Terry's Rose Room, where a four-tiered cake centred the bride's table.

The bride changed into a light blue dress for an Up-Island honeymoon. She wore a navy blue fur trimmed coat and navy hat and shoes.

Clubs and Societies

Brides of Albion Chapter, I.O.D.E., will hold a social evening at headquarters on Thursday, December 14, at 8 o'clock.

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St. David's Women's Guild will hold the last meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. J. Wyper, Cordova Bay Road, Tuesday, at 2.30.

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Afternoon Branch of the WA to St. Martin-in-the-Field Church, Obed Avenue, will meet on Tuesday at 2.30 p.m. in the rear room of the Parish Hall.

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WA to St. Paul's Church, Esquimalt, will meet at 2.30 p.m., Tuesday, in the guild room. Associate members are invited to tea.

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Vista Royal Anglican WA will hold its annual meeting and election of officers at the home of Mrs. W. Duval, 278 Island Highway, on Tuesday at 8.30 p.m.

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Past Matrons' Club of the I.O.B.A. (Ft) meet at the home of Mrs. F. Leach, 318 Mars Street, Wednesday evening, December 13. The annual Christmas party will be held and members are asked to bring a gift for the tree.

W.A. Sends 500 Gifts To Points in Province

At the recent meeting section of the board of the British Columbia Diocesan Anglican WA, Mrs. F. J. Harris gave a vivid account of a trip Up-Island when she visited branches at Quamichan, Nanaimo and Parksville.

Treasurer, Mrs. B. G. Wilson reported total receipts for the past month as being $1,002.29. A gift of $200 was voted to the Anglican Theological College in Vancouver.

The Diocesan Secretary, Mrs. B. P. Harding reported bales of Christmas gifts and clothing sent to King Cole Inlet, Vanderhoof, and Wells, B.C. Bales of clothing were also sent to Prince Albert, Regina and Peace River.

St. Michael's Residential School at Alert Bay received 174 toys and 50 pounds of candy was sent to the Indian day school there. Fifty hymn books were sent to Lake Cowichan Indian School. Over 500 Christmas gifts were sent.

Rev. Eric Munn conducted noonday prayers in the church and spoke briefly on Advent preparation for Christmas.

Next board meeting will be held January 18 beginning with Holy Communion at 10 a.m. in St. John's Church.

The regular meeting of the Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E. will be held on Tuesday, December 12, at 2 p.m.

L.A. to Britannia Branch No. 7, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., will meet on Tuesday at 7.45 p.m. in the auditorium, Blanshard Street.

Cedar Hill Guides will have movies of Guiding shown to them at St. Luke's at 7.30 p.m., Monday, December 11.

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A pretty wedding was solemnized Saturday evening in St. John's Church when Helen Margaret Lawson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lawson of Powell River, became the bride of Arthur Reid Kerr, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Kerr, 2281 Windsor Road, Victoria. Rev. George Biddle performed the wedding ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was lovely in a gown of white satin en traîne. Her fingertip veil cascaded from a Juliet cap and she carried a bouquet of red roses.

Miss Eleanor Lawson and Miss Donna Kerr attended the bride, wearing off-the-shoulder gowns of aqua-green velvet, matching mitts and Juliet caps. They carried bouquets of red roses and white carnations.

Mr. W. J. Taylor was groomsman while ushers were Mr. P. Frith and Mr. R. Lawson.

Two hundred guests attended a reception at Royal Colwood Golf and Country Club where the toast to the bride was given by Mr. H. B. Beckham. A four-tiered cake centred the table.

For a honeymoon in San Francisco the bride chose a pastel green suit with brown velvet accessories, topped with a brown squirrel coat.

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"Personality of the Week"

By FILEEN LEAROYD

When Pinsa de Claramunt of Gerona, Catalonia, was a little girl she lived in a large spacious house with a big garden surrounded by a high wall. She and her two sisters and brother did not go to school but studied at home with a tutor in the Spanish fashion.

Pinsa adored music and she loved painting because of their exciting colors. She was especially happy in the Summer when the family moved to their home at S'Agaro, Costa Brava, where there was the "yellowest sun, the bluest sea, the greenest pine trees."

Pinsa loved to ride, too, particularly on Palomino because of their lovely color and because of their dancing gait.

Later on Pinsa de Claramunt was sent to schools in France and England. While still attending school she met Dr. H. R. Ruttan who was taking post-graduate medical courses in England, and they were married.

"It was," say the sparkling Pinsa Ruttan, "very romantic."

They were married at Brompton Oratory, London, in 1938. When the war broke out, Dr. Ruttan became a Surgeon Commander in the Royal Navy (he transferred to the RCN in 1941), and his vivacious darkhaired wife joined the Red Cross Corps. Mrs. Ruttan feels sure known England very well in the two years they moved 36 times.

At last, however, they were able to come to Victoria and to make their home here. Both sons, John eight years, and Francis Charles 2 years, were born in this city.

"They are very busy, our children. They are also little demons, but both blonde and very beautiful."

Mrs. Ruttan loves Victoria. She thinks Canadians are wonderful and warm-hearted.

"Please," she said, "don't say I think Canadians are kind. Remember I am Spanish and I am enthusiastic. So they are wonderful and marvelous!"

"My car, you know, is yellow and has a red lining. I am afraid people think this is funny, but I love bright colors so much."

Mrs. Ruttan belongs to the Symphony Society and is a member of the Women's Naval Auxiliary.

SPANISH RENAISSANCE

As often as she can, Mrs. Ruttan travels to her native country where she soaks up sunshine, takes in the opera at the Liceo, attends the ballet and opens up her home in Barcelona.

"Spain is gay once more," she laughs, "this music is wonderful, everyone is so hospitable. Life is relaxed, nobody hurries, no one has nervous troubles. The food is excellent and one can still go to cafes where musicians play at one's table."

Mrs. Ruttan said there had been another renaissance of art.

"There is not one art gallery in Barcelona, but dozens. I think it is a result of the war, these things come out of suffering."

Mrs. Ruttan has a number of beautiful paintings in her home which she brought from Spain several years ago as well as some 18th century ceramics.

She is an artist herself and paints in water-colors. She won a gold medal at the Spanish Royal College of Art for one of her works.

Mrs. Ruttan expressed herself with true Spanish enthusiasm over the latest fashions in Spain. She said Balenciaga's collection was the most exotic in years.

"His evening clothes are like paintings from Goya. The colors are rich and in exciting brocaded materials."

Pinsa Ruttan also had a word for the flower market in Barcelona.

"You must walk down the Ramblas early in the morning to see carloads of carnations and roses and gardenias. When you have a birthday or celebration in Spain no one sends practical gifts—but armfuls of flowers.

"My favorite? Red roses I think."

There really isn't much difference between Pinsa de Claramunt of Gerona and Pinsa Ruttan of Victoria.

They both have enough "joie de vivre" for fifty people. But pretty Pinsa Ruttan does not have a very high wall around her house.

This is Mrs. Ruttan's favorite recipe and one she vowed she would never give away. But here it is, and it is called "Arroz Con Pollo."

Cut a medium-sized chicken into small pieces and roast until golden in lots of butter and a pinch of cayenne pepper. Then fry together, some onions, tomato and a piece of garlic. When this is cooked, put pepper, salt and a few slices of green pepper together with rice. Use the following proportions of rice: three ounces of rice per person. Add water in the proportion of 2-1 (two cups of water to one of rice). Add the rice mixture to the onion mixture and, brown until golden color. Add roasted chicken and a quarter of a pound of shrimps and a few green peas. Cook quickly in a covered casserole until the rice is done.

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Paris Designers Lavish Embroidery On Ball Gowns for Festive Season

PARIS, Dec. 8 (AP).—Party dresses designed for the festive season by French couturiers vary a lot in style, but all have one thing in common—plenty of embroidery in every shape or form.

In addition to the usual sequins, pearls, jet beads and mock diamonds, two extra novelties have been introduced this Winter—embroidery with wool and tufts of fur.

Schiaparelli plasters tufts of grey squirrel fur all over a tight fitting jacket made of champagne-colored satin which has a flared peplum extending into two ground-length tails at the back. She specklers the fur tufts with pearls and sparkling rhinestones and smothers the space between the Autumn leaves embroidered in silk and gold thread.

WOOL FLOWERS

Jacques Griffe goes in for wool flowers. He makes a strapless number in smoke grey tulle, which has about a dozen circular skirts piled on top of each other, and veils the whole affair with white shadow lace spattered liberally with flowers embroidered in shaded grey wool, with jet and mock diamonds.

Both lace and short evening dresses are popular this Winter but both are split into two distinct classes—those with crinoline or bouffant skirts that set up yards of materials and those with straight skirts that impede movements and show up all figure faults except slimness.

Tulle, taffeta and satin are the main materials used, except for cocktail dresses or bras. In the main the luxurious look is in the embroidery more than the material.

One of the most spectacular creations is shown by 35-year-old Alwynn, who embroiders black and white horse blanket check wool with glass bugle beads and jet stones. He uses it for a tight-waisted evening coat with a skirt big enough to fit over the white tulle crinoline set beneath it. The bold check wool is also used for the crinoline bodice.

Another fabulous creation by Alwynn is a white satin strapless sheath which has so much bead fringe and chunks of glass dangling from its bodice it looks like a walk-in chandelier.

Jacques Griffe uses shaded chiffon for a knife-pleated number which has starts lime yellow at the waist and ranges through grey and peacock blue to petrol at the hemline. Another called "Noel" is in this grey lace and has its bouffant skirt overlaid with shaded old gold and turquoise chiffon.

This designer also creates a snaky looking dress in rustling black taffeta and emphasizes its leanness by balancing a gigantic, two-foot long bow on one shoulder and another on the opposite hipbone.

MEN TAKE CHARGE

The recent meeting of Sir James Douglas P.-T.A. was in charge of male members with Mr. Harold Whitfield in the chair. Following a short business meeting, games were played under the direction of Mr. W. D. Reid and Miss Sheila Stanley directed square dancing.

It was announced that there would be a matinee performance of the Christmas concert on Tuesday, December 12. The other presentation will be on Wednesday evening.

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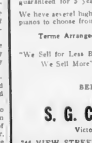

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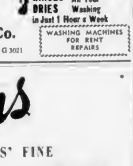

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L.A. to Hold Holiday Party

Next meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Fraternal Order of Eagles will take the form of a Christmas social. It was announced at the regular business meeting held recently. Members will bring gifts and cards for exchange and Sister R. Rowlay will be in charge of entertainment.

Mrs. L. Wright presided over the meeting when reports were given by Sister M. Carver, and Sister M. Lewis.

Members are asked to remember the Eagles' Day at the Blood Bank on Thursday, December 14.

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Married in West Vancouver

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A quiet ceremony in West Vancouver united Dr. William Reginald Milburn and Phyllis Thelma Young, R.N. Dr. and Mrs. Young are living at the Clive Apartments, Oak Bay.

Jubilee Graduate Bride At West Vancouver Rites

Now making their home at Clive Apartments, Oak Bay, are Dr. and Mrs. William Reginald Milburn who were married recently at a quiet ceremony at the home of Rev. Jas. McKenzie, West Vancouver, the officiating minister.

The bride, Phyllis Thelma Young, R.N., of Pasadena, Calif., is a graduate of the Royal Jubilee Hospital. She is the daughter of Mrs. A. D. Young and the late Mr. Young, of Estevan, Saskatchewan. The groom, a graduate of University of Oregon Dental College, Portland, is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Milburn, Victoria.

The bride chose a wool jersey dress in paper blue trimmed with white embroidery and rhinestones and Washer white accessories. She wore a corsage of gardenias.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Bessie Young, who wore a navy blue dress with white accessories and corsage of roses.

Mr. Gerald Milburn, of Victoria was best man for his brother.

Mrs. DeRochie New President Of Sooke W.I.

Annual meeting Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute held in Sooke Community Hall elected Mrs. D. J. DeRochie president. Mrs. William Cates assumes the position of vice-president, while Mrs. Grant Boulter retains the work of secretary-treasurer.

Directors chosen were Mrs. G. R. Kendrew and Mrs. J. B. Wilkinson. The secretary, in her report, announced that $912 was the balance on hand.

The institute has spent a busy year in so far as work for "home and country" is concerned. It did the catering for the Sooke Products Fair, which was such a success, and again brought the annual games night to a successful conclusion as well as accommodating the South Vancouver Island District conference in Sooke Community Hall.

Gifts of a suitable nature have been sent to those persons ill or bereaved whose members are connected with this organization.

A trust fund was established for a scholarship for a graduate of Milnes Landing Junior-Senior High School, and cups and eight progress prizes were as usual, given to eight grades in Sooke schools.

Money donations have been made to worthy projects throughout the province.

Meetings are held on the first Friday evening in the month.

CENTURY OLD

The first electric clock was invented by Alexander Bain in Britain in 1841.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Gilson, 2842 Cavendish Avenue, Victoria, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Velma Bernice, to Lieut. (E.) Daniel Ewen Galbraith, son of Mrs. V. M. Galbraith and the late Mr. Galbraith, of Vancouver. The wedding will be held at St. John's Anglican Church, December 26.

Evelyn Beattie, M. A. Sheldrich Exchange Vows

First Baptist Church, decorated with chrysanthemums in pastel shades was the scene of a pretty wedding recently when Evelyn Grace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyall Beattie, Dunsta Avenue, became the bride of Mason Allan Sheldrich, only son of Mrs. H. E. Wilson and the late Mr. P. A. Sheldrich. Rev. G. R. Parker officiated.

Mr. Oliver Brown provided the wedding music and during the signing of the register Miss Doris Reggie sang.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was an attractive picture in her wedding gown of shell gold satin, fashioned with Elizabethan collar, lily point sleeves, slim bodice and fully-flared skirt. A three-quarter-length veil of illusion net trimmed with lace midded from her shell pink Dutch bonnet. A gold locket, gift of the groom, was her only ornament and she carried a shower bouquet of cream roses, pink carnations and white mums.

Mrs. Ralph Smith, matron of honor, wore a gown of pink net over taffeta. Bridesmaids, Misses Eileen and Darlene Baird, twin cousins of the bride, were identically gowned in dresses of ice-blue moire taffeta. Grace Phanstiel, niece of the groom, was flower girl and wore a long frock of blue taffeta with matching bonnet.

Best man was Art Flemming and ushers were Harry Kent, and Walter Margetts.

A reception was held at the home of Mrs. H. E. Wilson, where the rooms were decorated with bowls of Autumn flowers. A three-tier cake centred the bride's table. Mr. H. V. Smith gave the toast.

For a honeymoon in Seattle and Portland, the bride donned a rust gabardine suit with tartan topcoat. She wore a corsage of red roses and white chrysanthemums.

Honeymoon in United States

—Belcher Photo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyall Beattie cut the wedding cake at the reception following their wedding in First Baptist Church recently.

Esquimalt W.I. Re-Elects Mrs. J. Jones

The Esquimalt Women's Institute held their annual meeting in the parish hall of St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. J. T. Jones, who was re-elected president, was in the chair.

Reports of the officers were reported and all committees reported splendid work was done on their different groups.

Plans for a Christmas party was arranged, and Mrs. I. Spiers was appointed convener for this event.

Following officers were elected: President, Mrs. J. T. Jones; vice-president, Mrs. J. McDuff; secretary, Mrs. O. A. Cummings; treasurer, Mrs. I. Spiers; chairmen of standing committees will be appointed at the January meeting.

Plans for the Christmas client will be in the hands of Mrs. J. Potts, sick convener, and Mrs. Jones.

The next social meeting will be held on Thursday afternoon, December 21 at St. Paul's Parish Hall.

Organist Gives Lecture-Recital

Mr. Charles Palmer, well-known organist and piano teacher gave a lecture-recital on "Sonata Form" to members of the Royal Schools of Music Association. The lecture was held in Mr. Palmer's studio, 534 Broughton Street.

Illustrating the lecture, Mr. Palmer played the first movement from each of the following sonatas: Scarlatti's Sonata in G Major, Suite 26 Bach's Italian Concerto, Mozart's Sonata in G Major, Beethoven's Sonatas Opus No. 13 No. 2 and Opus 111.

President, Miss Elsie Friend, thanked Mr Palmer and also welcomed his mother who was a special guest for the evening.

Annual meeting of the association will be held on February 7 at the studio of Miss Marjorie Tribe, 1103 Cook Street.

Princess Alexandra Lodge, No. 18, Daughters of England, will meet on Wed oday at 7.30 p.m. in the Orange Hall. Nomination and election of officers.

Request Wall Around Tanks

CAMPBELL RIVER, Dec. 9—Campbell River and District Ratepayers Association decided to request Imperial Oil Ltd. to erect a reinforced concrete wall around tanks holding 120-000 gallons of oil and gasoline at the village.

Supply will also be sought from W. A. Walker, Provincial Fire Marshall, and Campbell River Village Commissioners.

Commissioner John W. Balkie reported that the fire marshall considered the present earth and wooden walls around the tanks met with provincial regulations.

It was agreed to request the Provincial Department of Public Works to repair the road from Campbell River to Camp Five, Bloedel.

A letter from the Provincial Department of Railways stated that safety signal equipment had been ordered for the Elk River Timber Company's railway crossing near Campbell River.

Shawnigan P.-T.A. Plans Party For January 26

SHAWNIGAN LAKE, Dec. 9—At their regular meeting held recently in the school, the members of the Shawnigan Lake Parent-Teacher Association set January 26 as the date for their annual party. The social will take the form of a variety party with cards, games and square dancing.

Thanks were expressed to Mrs. K. Bishopstall and Mrs. J. Carruthers for their assistance at the Hallowe'en bazaar in judging costumes, and to Mr. V. H. Dougan for arranging lighting for the same occasion.

A satisfactory report was given of the recent carnival baby show. A council report was given by Mths. E. Miles, Mrs. D. Fraser, Mrs. W. McMartin, Mrs. W. A. Cudlip and Mrs. A. Hallet, were chosen to assist at the community Christmas tree.

Plans were made to hold the annual meeting of the P.-T.A. in May, with the retiring executive carrying on during the Summer.

A questionnaire will be sent out to the members concerning night courses at the Cowichan High School.

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Alaska-Juneau	.90	.100
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Cortez	.190	.195
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Goldfield	.03	.05
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Pickle Crow	.03	.05
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Pitch Ore	.03	.05
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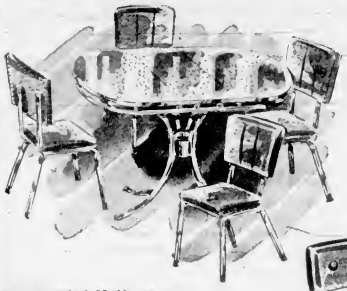
Monday Is Opportunity Day at EATON'S

5-Piece Dinette Suites



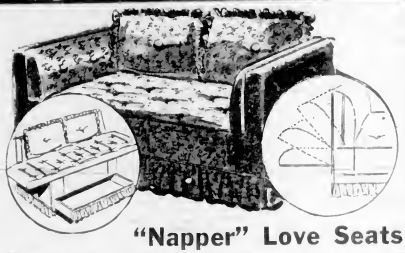
- Four Table Designs
- Chromium-Plated Finishes
- Sturdy Construction

An unusual home-furnishing value . . . smart-looking, long-lasting, chromium-plated 5-piece dinette suites. You can choose from drop leaf, solid top, jackknife or loose-leaf table designs . . . all featuring tops of heat resistant, stainless plastic linen [illegible] . . . table [illegible] . . . smooth chairs . . . padded backs and seats. A grand Christmas present for your home . . . priced for Christmas budgets, too!

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special

Table and 4 Chairs

69.00



"Napper" Love Seats

A [illegible] . . . even [illegible] . . . 30" [illegible] . . . collapsing tilter . . . [illegible]

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each **79.00**

Spring-Filled Mattresses

Economically priced mattress by Manor . . . filled with 220 steel coil springs in full size. Note the extra [illegible] for more sleeping comfort . . . and the hard wearing ticking covering . . . priced [illegible] home-makers! Size 4ft. 6ft. 33.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each **27.98**

Cable Springs

High-tensile steel wire, steel flat edges for a firm foundation. Tubular steel rails and angle iron ends. Steel wire cables resist sagging. [illegible] 4ft. 6ft. and 5ft. . . .

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each **11.98**

Large Hostess Chairs

Deep, spring-filled seats . . . padded backs . . . and durable, handsome covers [illegible] these versatile, modern-styled hostess chairs. Hardwood frames in smart walnut finish . . . covers in attractive figured damask, you can choose from colours of wine, turquoise, red and green. A beautiful asset to your living-room . . . at a price that means a big, big saving!

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each **19.99**

High Chairs

Ivory-enamelled . . . sturdy solid red hardwood construction . . . Features solid seat and oval shaped champion tray that locks securely . . . legs are thick and well braced for firm support.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each **6.95**

EATON'S—FURNITURE, SECOND FLOOR

English Plaques

Made in England . . . attractive earthenware wall plaques, hand painted and finished with a high gloss. Three dinner-animal design of our these famous English landmarks to advantage . . . St. Paul's Cathedral, Westminster Abbey, Worcester Cathedral, Petergate, York and East-gate, Chester . . . about 10" in diameter.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each **3.95**

Crystal Glass Mirrors

Generous-size mirror of clear reflecting glass . . . a grand gift for the home and at a price that's easy on your Christmas budget! Features dainty etched motif at top . . . comes complete with rosette for hanging. Approximate size 14 x 17 ins.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special **3.19**

Flower Pictures

Special purchase! . . . smart modern pictures in a variety of floral motifs. All artistically framed with wide white mat and white moulding. Have all size about 16 . . .

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each **2.49**

Oilettes

You can choose from many attractive pastoral scenes in this popular oilette style picture. Comes with natural finished frame . . . over all size about 25" x 31½".

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each **3.98**

EATON'S—MIRRORS AND PICTURES, LOWER MAIN FLOOR

Handsome Seamless Axminster Rugs

- Four Good Sizes!
- Four Low Prices!

Dress up your home for the holiday season and for all year long! Choose one of these beautifully designed Axminster rugs for your living-room or dining-room . . . you'll be saving money, too, because we've priced them way low for you homemakers on a budget. An impressive collection of Oriental patterns to choose from . . . each rug well woven with deep wool pile to give you the utmost service! Choose from these two approximate sizes.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special

4ft. x 7ft.	each 32.50	6ft. x 9ft.	each 52.00
9ft. x 10ft.	each 79.00	9ft. x 12ft.	each 95.00

Unbordered Congoleum Rugs

Seconds . . . Suitable for Almost Any Room!

Such a wide variety of distinctive patterns you're almost certain to find a pattern to suit almost every room in your home! And at such bookkeeper prices you'll want to shop early for the best selection. Slight defects should not affect wearing qualities . . . well enamelled . . . heavy felt back. Sizes are approximate.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special

6ft. x 9ft.	7ft. x 9ft.	9ft. x 9ft.	9ft. x 10ft.	9ft. x 12ft.
3.19	4.49	5.39	6.39	7.19

Rambow Mats

All-wool hair mats . . . nicely trimmed from selvage. Attractive mats that never collect dust . . . and will remain on the surface! Choose from plain and mottled effects on dark and pastel shades. Approximate sizes.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special

18" x 30"	27" x 54"	36" x 72"
2.50	5.95	8.95

Inlaid Linoleum

For uptown, inside rooms, bathrooms, etc. Kingsford patterned inlaid linoleum! 3rd gauge . . . modern motifs in geometric patterns. Select from many bright colours . . . all with canvas backs for longer wear! 6 feet wide.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, sq. yd. **1.98**

EATON'S—RUGS AND FLOOR COVERINGS, SECOND FLOOR

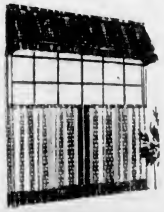
Drapery Department Aids to Home Beauty and Comfort

Cedar Chests

A Christmas gift that will keep giving for years to come! . . . a beautiful cedar-lined chest chosen from this specially priced group! Constructed from 3/4" red Tennessee cedar and attractively veneered on rich walnut . . . popular waterfall design. Cedar-lined drawer in bottom. Overall size 18½ x 40½ x 23 inches.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special

39.50



Canopy Curtain Sets

Gay curtains for your kitchen . . . gingham canopy and gingham-trimmed sash curtains in a soft, fluffy dotted marquisette. In three kitchen-flattering colours of red, green and blue. Comes complete with canopy rods and brackets.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, set **1.89**

Multiple Length Curtains

Beautiful rayon marquisette curtains to add a distinctive touch to your window decor. In a soft ecru shade . . . features head and case and generous side and bottom hems. In three popular lengths, at prices that mean big savings when you shop for an EATON'S Opportunity Day Special—

Size 36 x 63, pair **2.49** Size 36 x 72, pair **2.69**

Size 36 x 81, pair **2.98**

Attractively Patterned Couch Throws

Just what you need to save wear and tear on your new Chesterfield suite or to dress up your old suite! And save money, besides! Attractively striped homespun couch throws in brown, green and natural . . . size 59 x 86 inches.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special **4.95** and **5.95**

The EATON GUARANTEE "Goods Satisfactory or Money Refunded" T. EATON Co BRITISH COLUMBIA LIMITED

Monday Is Opportunity Day at EATON'S

Dressy Oxfords

[illegible] comfortable [illegible] Sizes 6 to 11 [illegible]

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair **6.98**

Shearling Slippers

[illegible] wearing lining and soft sueded leather soles. Sizes 6 to 11. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

4.49

Laced Rubber Boots

[illegible] Sizes 6 to 11

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

3.99

EATON'S—MEN'S SHOES, GOVERNMENT STREET

Boys' All Wool Knee Socks

Made in England to EATON'S specifications. All-wool at 4.1 rib. In brown or grey with contrasting coloured turned-down cuffs. Sizes 7½ to 10. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

79c

EATON'S—BOYS' SOCKS, MAIN FLOOR

English Woven Stripe Dress Shirts

High in Quality . . . Low in Price

[illegible] EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each **3.49**

Gift-Smart Neckwear

[illegible] EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each **69c**

3 for 2.00

EATON'S—MEN'S FURNISHINGS, MAIN FLOOR

Men's Warm Pyjamas

[illegible] EATON'S Opportunity Day Special

3.89

EATON'S—MEN'S FURNISHINGS, MAIN FLOOR

Manufacturer's Clearance of

Men's Ankle Socks

[illegible] EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

69c

EATON'S—MEN'S SOCKS, MAIN FLOOR

Feature Values in Boys' Wear

Warm Windbreakers

[illegible] EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, [illegible] **4.59**

Tweed Pants

[illegible] EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, [illegible] **2.95**

Pyjamas

[illegible] EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, [illegible] **2.29**

Bomber Jackets

[illegible] EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, [illegible] **8.95**

EATON'S—BOYS' WEAR, GOVERNMENT STREET

4,000 Pounds of Christmas Candies at Money-Saving Prices

Creams and Jellies

[illegible] EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, lb. **39c**

Christmas Kisses

[illegible] EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, lb. **39c**

EATON'S—CANDIES, MAIN AND LOWER MAIN FLOORS

Visit EATON'S TOYLAND where Children's Dreams Come True

Tool Sets

[illegible] EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, set **98c**

Life-Saver Dump Truck

Coloured metal dump truck fitted with tee rolls of Life-savers — dump-action body is worked by means of metal handle. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, **1.49**

Pull Chimes

Small, brightly coloured wooden roller that jingles as it is pulled along the floor. A delightful gift for smaller children! EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, **89c**

Terriers

A dog's little brother, for whom with black ears and tail . . . coloured collar, bead eyes and sewn nose. Size approx. 8 inches long. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, **1.98**

Jumping Rabbits

Has arms, ears, legs, long ears and long hind legs. Press bulb down and off the bunny goes, hopping on his hind legs. About [illegible] inches. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, **1.49**

Rangettes

Little "Miss" has rangette of white enamel-finished metal with red trim. Oven door opens [illegible] equipped with two cooking utensils. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, **1.09**

Light Sets

Christmas tree light sets eight globes or standard length eight lights, come led in artist [illegible] on 110 to 120 volt circuits. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special **97c**

Blackboards

Heavy type blackboard [illegible] to a desk when the [illegible] is pulled down. Five [illegible] illustration sheets at [illegible] board. Size approx. 18" by 12". EATON'S Opportunity Day Special **4.95**

EATON'S—TOYLAND, SECOND FLOOR ARCADE

STORE HOURS 9 A.M. TO 5 P.M.
WEDNESDAY 9 A.M. TO 1 P.M.
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T. EATON Co. BRITISH COLUMBIA LIMITED

Monday Is Opportunity Day at EATON'S

Women's Suede and Leather Footwear

Half Price

4.97 to 9.75

Marked down to this money-saving price for Monday, Opportunity Day. Pumps, platforms, ties, in suedes and leathers. Grey, black or brown in the group. High or medium heel. Sizes 5 to 9, widths AA to C collectively. Be sure to come early for best selection.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, 4.97 to 9.75

EATON'S—WOMEN'S SHOES, FASHION FLOOR

Practical Knee Gumboots

Smartly styled for women and children, in lipstick or black shiny rubber with white fabric linings. These rubbers are designed to be worn without shoes.

Children's and misses' sizes, 6 to 2. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair **1.99**

Women's sizes, 3 to 8. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair **2.49**

Women's Leather Slippers

Comfortable, smart looking slippers finished with attractive coloured satin dainings. Styled with soft leather soles and cuban heels. Black, blue or black patent. Various and medium widths. Sizes 4½ to 9. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair **2.49**

EATON'S—WOMEN'S SHOES, FASHION FLOOR

Children's Wear Priced Specially Low

FANCY DOESKIN OVERALLS

Yellow, blue and red cotton doeskin overalls, gaily designed with prancing reindeer. Styled with bib front. Sizes 2 to 6.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special each **1.25**

Shirts to match, Sizes 2 to 6 **1.25**

PLAID SHIRTS

Cotton and rayon and wool and rayon shirts with long sleeves and small collar. Assorted plaids. Sizes 3 to 6

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special each **1.29**

TARTAN OVERALLS

All-wool strap-style overalls with bib front and patch pockets in back. Assorted tartans. Sizes 2 to 6

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special **2.69**

TEEN-AGE CHECK SKIRTS

Neat all wool skirts, styled with proper at back, kick pleats. Lovely shades of brown, navy, grey or green.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special each **2.99**

COTTON DRESSES

A selection of girls' dresses in several smart styles. Choose from yellow, blue, pink, green. Sizes 7 to 12. Less than Half Price!

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special **2.19**

GIRLS' DRESSES

Cotton rayon and taffeta dresses with short puff sleeves, small collar and back tie. Pastel shades of blue, yellow, pink or green. Sizes 7 to 14

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special **1.79**

EATON'S—CHILDREN'S WEAR, FASHION FLOOR

Striped Woollens

54 Inches Wide

A good quality English wool flannel woven with a white stripe effect on grounds of black, navy, brown and wine. Makes up into smart skirts, cosy bathrobes, etc. A great saving for the seamstress.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, yard

2.39

Rayon Jersey

54 Inches Wide

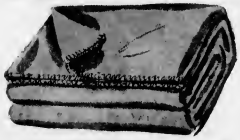
Lovely soft shades of lavender, pearl, powder and pink to choose from in this fine quality English rayon jersey. A grand fabric for infant's and children's clothes. Priced at special savings. Monday

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, yard

89c

EATON'S—FABRICS, MAIN FLOOR

English-Made All-Wool Blankets



In Attractive Pastel Shades

English made blankets in large 80x100 inch size, far larger than the usual double bed blanket. These will give you all the tuck in you need at both sides and bottom of the bed — eliminate blankets pulling out these cold nights. Luxuriously soft and springy, deeply napped, finished with well-whipped ends. Pastel shades of green and peach, camel, blue and gold colour

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each **8.95**

Novelty Cotton Tablecloths

Cheery cloths with an all-over web-like design and inside white borders. Made of extremely fine quality cotton that should wear and wash well. Choice of brown and green. Buy them at this low price for economical and acceptable gifts. Size about 52 x 52 inches.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each **99c**

Napkins to match, about 17x17 inches.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each **19c**

60x90-Inch Flannelette Blankets

Seconds of thickly-napped, warm and serviceable blankets. An outstanding opportunity to choose those extra blankets at a great saving. Firmly woven of fine flannelette — classed as seconds due to slight flaws that should not affect their wearing qualities. In plain white or plain grey with coloured borders. Single or ¾ bed size — about 60x90.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair **4.79**

EATON'S—STAPLES, MAIN FLOOR

45 and 51-Gauge Nylon Hose

A Feature Special for Monday

Stock up for your personal needs now — at this great saving. Flawless, dark seams and panel heels. Three nice shades: Shadow, Cinnabar, Dawn. Sizes 8½ to 11

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special **2 pairs 1.59**

EATON'S—HOSIERY MAIN FLOOR

Imported Real Silk Scarves

A timely saving! Specially purchased and priced exceptionally low for your Christmas gift list! A gorgeous array of colours and designs to choose from. Shop early for best selection

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each **1.59**

EATON'S—SCARVES, MAIN FLOOR

3-Ply Knitting Wool

Save Monday on soft, fine quality knitting wool. Makes up beautifully into sweaters, socks and children's wear. A good range of colours, so shop early for best selection

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, ounce ball **29c**

EATON'S—WOOLS, FASHION FLOOR

Pretty Lace Doilies

Attractive patterns in various shapes and sizes. Grand for tables or make nice chair sets.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special

19c 49c

Italian Majolica Ware

Attractive little covered boxes with raised floral designs. Hand, ice powder, etc.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each **69c**

EATON'S—FANCY GOODS, FASHION FLOOR

36-Inch Garment Bags

Made of popular weight plastic. Protects long coats during storing. Complete with wire frame and hanger. The long zipper gives easy entry without crushing clothes. A special purchase brings these to you at this great saving!

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each **1.98**

Plastic Bib Aprons, Tea Aprons

Wear a new apron during the holiday season. A wide selection of patterns and colours with lace effect borders.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, **39c** and **59c**

Plastic Hose Folder

Protects sheer stockings from snags and runs. Ruffled quilted effect hosiery cases in yellow, grey, pearl, wine, green, with six clear pockets.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special **59c**

Quilted Plastic Scuffies

Neat little slippers with a soft airy feeling, encased in clear plastic bags. Metallic colours in blue, wine, pink and green. Small, medium and large sizes.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair **69c**

EATON'S—NOTIONS, MAIN FLOOR

It Pays to Shop at EATON'S

STORE HOURS: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. — Phone E4141

THE T. EATON Co. BRITISH COLUMBIA LIMITED

EATON'S Christmas Time OPPORTUNITY DAY

MONDAY . . DEC. 11

Monday — Opportunity Day at EATON'S — an opportunity for the economy-wise shopper to buy Christmas gifts at great savings. So many exceptional values we've room for only a part of them here—you'll have to come down yourself to see all the exciting specials offered!

9 O'CLOCK SPECIALS

On Sale From 9 to 10 A.M. (If Quantities Last)

No Phone or Mail Orders, Please

4-Ply Fingering Wool

A fine quality yarn for many knitted garments. Specially purchased at a low, low price! Choose from grey, green, black, brown, wine and red.

9 o'Clock Special, 1 oz. ball **23¢**

EATON'S—WOOL, FASHION FLOOR

Men's Wool Shirts

Heavy-weight, all-wool shirts in bright checked designs. Well tailored with collar attached and single button cuffs. Choose from predominating colours of navy, wine, blue, grey, brown and gold colour. Sizes small, medium and large.

9 o'Clock Special, each **4.49**

EATON'S—MEN'S FURNISHINGS, MAIN FLOOR

Men's Topcoats

Comfortably tailored, all-wool covert cloth coats with setin sleeves, slash or patch pockets. Choose tawn or natural . . . sizes 37 to 44

9 o'Clock Special, each **29.95**

EATON'S—MEN'S CLOTHING, MAIN FLOOR

Taffeta Fabric

A wide selection of rayon taffeta, brocade, plain and rajah moire weaves . . . clearing at a remarkable low price! In a choice of attractive colours.

9 o'Clock Special, yard **79¢**

EATON'S—FABRICS, MAIN FLOOR

Deluxe Flashlights

Twin-cell flashlight with chromium plated and black enamel finish. Good switch . . . throws a long beam.

9 o'Clock Special, each **1.44**

EATON'S—SPORTING GOODS, VIEW STREET

Moccasin Slippers

Leather moccasins for women and girls styles with sheared fur collar, beaded vamps and felt lining. White, blue, red and black. Sizes 3 to 9.

9 o'Clock Special, pair **2.79**

EATON'S—WOMEN'S SHOES, FASHION FLOOR

Boys' Breeches

[illegible] 11 to 16 years.

9 o'Clock Special, pair **3.99**

EATON'S—BOYS' CLOTHING, GOVERNMENT STREET

Flannelette Blankets

[illegible] blankets of a fine quality quality that will wash and wear well. [illegible] plaid effects on white ground. [illegible] about 70"x84".

9 o'Clock Special, pair **4.99**

EATON'S—STAPLES, MAIN FLOOR

Men's Slippers

Lightweight slippers in opera shape with split leather soles, padded for extra comfort. Black or maple. Sizes 6 to 10.

9 o'Clock Special, pair **98¢**

EATON'S—BARGAIN BASEMENT

Individual Teapots

Brown earthenware teapots in a [illegible] are for the person. Have good pouring spouts . . . 1 cup size.

9 o'Clock Special, each **25¢**

EATON'S—CHINA, GOVERNMENT STREET

High Chair Pads

Plastic-coated pads for baby's high chair. [illegible] coloured designs.

9 o'Clock Special, each **98¢**

EATON'S—FURNITURE, SECOND FLOOR

Linoleum Mats

Hardwood felt base mats [illegible] enamel coated. Suitable for dressing [illegible] chairs, cabinet or bedside. Choice of many patterns and colour combinations. Size about 18"x36".

9 o'Clock Special, each **19¢**

Limit 3 to a Customer

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Sentinels of the Seaways

Aids to Navigation Important on Coast

By FRANK KELLEY

I HAVE often wondered, while traveling on coastal waters after nightfall, how much the average West Coast traveler appreciates the measures provided by the Canadian Department of Transport to assure, as near as humanly possible, the safe progress of man and ship hither and yon under all vagaries of the atmosphere and the ever-changing directions of tidal streams.

Should the passenger take everything for granted in his stride after he has purchased his ticket and made himself comfortable in his stateroom, the officer on the bridge a short distance away is fully aware he wouldn't get very far if there were no lights, whistles, bells and diaphones continually broadcasting signals of established characteristics to warn him of dangers close by.

IN OTHER DAYS

Previous to Klondike Gold Rush days of 1898, lights were few and far between on the British Columbia Coast, with practically total blackout beyond Cape Beale on the outside coast of Vancouver Island and on all inside passages northward of The Narrows in the Strait of Georgia. It was not until 1898-99 that three minor lights were built of wood in the Queen Charlotte Island Sound area—Egg Island, Dryad Point and Ivory Island.

In those good old days boats plying along the West Coast of Vancouver Island in the service of the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company pioneer coastal ship operators, used to anchor at dark, particularly in Winter, wherever the dark overtook the ship. The late Captain J. D. Warren, early navigator of Inside and Northern channels aboard the *So Barbara Boscowitz*, never moved after nightfall through the waters of Johnson and Broughton Passages or the dangerous ways between Christie Pass and the Nass River, then farthest north for British Columbia coasting craft.

NUMEROUS AIDS

It is different now. According to an annual report issued several years ago by the Department of Transport, aids to navigation on the British Columbia Coast are numerous and varied, comprising seven grades of "orders" of lights, gas and electric, totaling 209. There were then 34 diaphones, many lighted spar-buoys, floats and dolphins, together with buoys rigged with bell and whistle devices, some of which are operated with wave action. In addition, there were approximately 450 unlighted buoys, dolphins, spindles and beacons. There is one lighthship, too, located on the Sandheads at the entrance to the Fraser. Tending the principal lights were 63 keepers, all the remaining lights being classified as unwatched.

RADIO BEACONS

In addition to their lights and fog alarms a number of the leading stations are equipped with radio beacons, and these send out an advertised signal once an hour in clear weather and continuously in foggy or overcast weather. A ship equipped with radio compass can thus take bearings on the station and establish its position. At some lights, for instance, a special device synchronizes the radio beacon signals with the blast of the foghorn, so that a mariner observing the time it takes the sound signal to reach his ship can check with the radio signal, practically instantaneous and thus determine with a remarkable degree of accuracy the ship's distance from the lighthouse and radio station.

SHIP TO SHORE

In conjunction with the radiotelegraph stations at the more important lights, wireless facilities are available for receipt of emergency communications or commercial messages between ship and shore and from shore to ship. Many vessels have the equipment for this service. Among the stations providing it are Estevan, Bull Harbor, Dead Tree Point, Albert Bay and Prince Rupert.

Day marks and range lights indicate the water boundary between the United States and Canada. Every channel leading to an important harbor is well defined, the practice being to buoy and mark it so that there can be no chance of mistaking a channel. Thus, like the entrance to the Fraser River, are marked with range lights and buoys—a certain shaped and painted buoy with a certain colored light stop means that the mark must be left to starboard, while different shaped and distinctively colored buoys and topped with a light of another color signifies it must be left to port.

THE FOGHORNS

Back of all the major and minor lights, the blasts of the foghorn and the impulses of wireless crackling along the ether waves is the human element, without which the light service of the British Columbia Coast would never function efficiently. It means pretty constant vigil 24 hours every day for 365 days every year and an extra day when leap year happens along. It means a story of duties well performed and a sense of responsibility keeping the lights flashing and the horns bellowing by day and night. Maybe the material rewards for this are not adequate, but there must be some satisfaction in speeding the passage of the liner and the coastal vessel safely.

ESTEVAN LIGHT

British Columbia lighthouses as such seldom figure in the news. Estevan is an exception. It has had some publicity on several occasions, once in 1918 when a violent earthquake centred some 15 miles out in the Pacific managed to disturb the operation of the light, and on a second occasion during the period when it was supposedly shelled from the sea by a Japanese submarine. The light was not hit, but some trees were topped and the folk in nearby Ucluelet were alarmed. The curious in accompanying the shelling had the same effect as the "quake" for it put the light out of commission temporarily, understandable when the delicate arrangement of prisms producing the light flashes of definite characteristic at timed intervals is known.

The British Admiralty erected the first lights on the British Columbia Coast in 1861 when Race Rocks and Flegard beacons were established. These lights are still operating. Following Confederation, a number of minor lights were put up about Victoria and Esquimalt by the Dominion Government in the 70's at Point Atkinson in 1875 and Sisters Islands in the next year. Langara light, most important aid north of Vancouver Island, dates from 1913, subsequent to the Prince Rupert establishment, while Estevan, the leading light of the Coast, was first lighted in 1907.

ESTEVAN LIGHT—Located on extremity of Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island

By Leonard L. Knott

The First Trolley Car

EVERYBODY who lives in a city has seen street cars, and probably ridden on them, too. Now, they are disappearing and their place is being taken in many cities by trolley buses. And few people know that the trolley pole, which made the street car possible and now makes possible the trolley bus, was invented by a Canadian.

The trolley pole was invented in Toronto, Ont., where Canada's first subway is taking the street cars off the street and putting them underground. It was invented at a time when cars pulled by horses were drawn along tracks and electricity was something so new that only a very few people had electric lights in their homes.

John Wright, of Toronto, became interested in electricity in 1882 and went to the United States to visit Thomas Edison, the great inventor. While he was there he found a broken electric locomotive on a scrap heap. He bought it for a few dollars and shipped it to Toronto.

Wright went to the heads of the horse car company and asked them to help him experiment with a street car that would run by electricity. They laughed at the young inventor and said that horse cars were good enough. No one would ever want to travel faster than a horse could run. Then Wright went to the City Council and asked for help. All they could do for him was give him a piece of land on the shore of Lake Ontario and tell him he could experiment there.

On this vacant land Wright and a friend from Belgium, Van Depoele, put down some track. Between the two tracks they had a special cable carrying electricity. Finally they were ready for their test and the people of Toronto were invited to come and see the first electric street car.

At the crowd gathered it began to rain, but nobody minded getting wet. They stood in the mud in the pouring rain, waiting to see the promised spectacle, or to laugh at the inventor. Wright gave the signal and the power was turned on, but the car didn't move. There were sparks from the track and laughter from the crowd, until Wright and his friend were left alone with their failure.

Wright was puzzled. Then he found the answer. Why, he said, it must have been the rain that caused the failure. Tests were made and it was found that the electricity was leaking into the ground, carried away by the water. For 50 years this trouble had puzzled everyone who had attempted to operate an electric car. Then John Wright had an inspiration. If the cables were kept away from the ground the electricity could not get away.

The problem was how to keep the wire off the ground. Wright found the answer. Let the electricity run through an overhead wire and then have a little wheel on the end of a pole run along the wire and make the connection for the power to run down to the car's motor.

When the Toronto Exhibition opened in August, 1883, John Wright's car was ready to carry passengers to the fair. Along a Toronto street ran the world's first trolley car—invented by a Canadian.

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Band of Youths Making Music

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Victoria Lions Club Sponsors New Group

By RAY WORMALD

SHOULD you pass Kings Road Scout Hall on a Wednesday evening you might find the air filled with notes originating from trumpets, saxophones, clarinets, and a host of other musical instruments.

And within the hall you'll probably find an eager group of young Victorians having a good time, thoroughly enjoying the spirit of fellowship, and making a good job of serving in the interests of the community.

Here is the Victoria Lions Youth Band, a promising organization formed about eight years ago and making itself known to Greater Victorians and Up-Island centres.

Since its inauguration the band has been known as the Victoria Boys' Band, the Greater Victoria Youth Band which allowed girls to become members, and now the Victoria Lions Youth Band. The service club assumed sponsorship of the group about a year ago and since that time has acted in a parental capacity.

AN AGE LIMIT

Membership in the youthful musicians' organization automatically ends when a member reaches the age of 21. "It is strictly a youth band, and we want to keep it that way" explaining E. C. "Ted" Tucker, manager and one of the original founders of the band.

Little John Ward, just over eight years old, is the youngest member of the group. He specializes on the Trumpet and in the opinion of Bandmaster Reginald Wood is making significant progress. Keith Linder, Ronald Campion, John Kory and Alan McCaw are among those who remain as charter members of the band.

Few if any, of the young bandsmen give up entirely their musical inclination when they leave the band. A number of them are playing with other city bands and orchestras, following graduation from the youth classification.

AND GIRLS TOO

Vanelia Tait, one of three girls serving in the band, was singularly honored some time ago when she was selected to represent the city in "the recently-formed Canadian-American All-Girls' Band. That musical group conducted a tour of the Dominion early last Summer to raise funds for the Manitoba Flood Relief Fund. Miss Tait plays the clarinet. Other young ladies in the Victoria Lions Youth Band are Misses Dianne Shavarkov and Helen Caldwell.

In addition to Mr. Tucker as manager and Mr. Wood as bandmaster, the "management" of the band includes John B. Prentice, president, and Keith Littler, assistant bandmaster.

ROOM FOR MORE

Membership in the band is 38 and there is room for more. Only qualifications required Mr. Tucker says, is ability to play any band instrument, "fairly well." Musical strength of the band today comprises ten clarinets, ten trumpets, two basses, two baritones four trombones, a bass drum and two side drums, one tenor tyre, two alto horns and two alto saxophones.

In their French blue and scarlet military-type uniforms members of the youth band have been seen in parades and at special functions.

The unit has been seen in May 24 processions, Community Chest parades and during latter years of the war in Victory Loan parades. The group has also appeared in a number of Up-Island affairs.

In addition, the band has presented a number of programs at the Veterans' Hospital, and at various Parent-Teacher Association meetings.

FINANCING BAND

Although under the sponsorship of the Lions Club the band makes every effort to be a self-supporting organization. Funds are raised through annual concerts—this year's event to be staged in the auditorium of Victoria High School tomorrow.

Considerable finances are required to operate such a band. Uniforms cost in the neighborhood of $70 each, and where the member is unable to do so the organization provides instruments—free of charge—to the youth.

In carrying on with its activities the Victoria Lions Youth Band is serving multiple purposes. Its members receive a fine training, they learn to appreciate the significance of teamwork. They are learning military-type self-reliance which will serve in their personal interests in years to come.

Mumps Is Joke to Some But It's Really Not Funny

By MARY SPRINGER
International News Service

DENVER.—Grandma diagnosed it with pickles and lemons. It humorous to lots of people—but not the victims.

The Dozen have a word for it—"moonpen"—to mumble, which is exactly what the stricken do.

You know it as mumps—the swollen, aching jaw, the inability to chew the burning mouth when anything acid is eaten.

Mumps is a virus disease, one of the most contagious known, and very common, especially in children of school age because their natural gregariousness leads to easy spread of the virus. Infants and very old persons are believed to be naturally immune to it.

CAN BE SERIOUS

The disease can be very serious in adults. It may spread to the sex organs and cause permanent sterility. Extra care and extra precautions are necessary when an adult catches mumps.

Medically, mumps is an infection of the salivary glands anterior to the ear. Usually the glands on both sides are affected, and the person so infected is not likely to have a second case. If only one side is affected, the disease may strike again later on the other side.

Doctors advise that bed rest is essential for a person with mumps. Beyond rest, plenty of fluids, a soft diet and promotion of bowel elimination, there is no specific treatment for mumps. Sulfa drugs may be given, but this is to forestall other infections rather than banish the mumps bug.

ICE COMPRESS

Ice compresses are used to relieve the pain from the swollen jaws.

The Colorado State Medical Society reported that there is no immunization for mumps—that it is much better to let children pick it up while they are young.

Early symptoms are chilliness, general malaise, headache, pain in front of the ears, and fever. The swelling can appear any time up to 14 or 21 days after exposure, and it is more likely to last longer and have more complications in older persons.

Diagnosis is not always easy. Sometimes tonsillitis or other conditions of swollen glands are mistaken for mumps at first. But grandma was right, the pain from acid foods is a sure sign.

Sitting on the Fence

By Nathaniel Gubbins

"I think it is high time we started letting other nations see that not only are we a sensible, steady people, but a rumbustious, creative, exciting, energetic, intellectually adventurous people too."—*Francis Williams*

RUMBUSTIOUS, rumbustious,
And jolly clever too,
Behind our rather vacant dials
And painful, sheer superior smiles,
Behind each ruddy, wooden pan
There lurks another Englishman
A lively, intellectual chap
In bowler, trilby, hamlin cap
Creative and exciting, bells
With old school tie and rolled umbrella.

Though most of us appears a prig,
We are uproarious, turbulent,
We want to shout and sing and dance,
To give the wicked, sickening glance
We want to devastate and clear
The female heart with ardent phrase
In love, our beating heart takes wings;
In each of us the poet sings
Though, in the sober journal of state
We are inarticulate
For all we say to her whom we wish
To "thank you for a smashing, evening."
Or if she asks near day in reveille,
With dogging passion on their leads,
"Do you love me, and all we say
Is "Marvin, what a smashing day"
A smashing girl, a smashing dance
A smashing night a smashed romance
That's how a silly English chap
Escapes the sentimental trap.

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Rumbustious, rumbustious,
And jolly clever too, that's us.

KIND UNCLES ALL

According to a report from Romania, children are encouraged to give thanks to the Communist Government for all the blessings bestowed on them.

When an American visitor asked a Rumanian girl what she learned at school, she replied:

"We live in peace and safety because of kind Uncle Joe Pauker. But Auntie Ana couldn't take care of us without the aid of Uncle Joe Stalin."

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Apart from the joy of knowing that my darling Ana has heard of as Rumania's Foreign Secretary, is not being taken care of by Uncle Joe in a concentration camp, may I suggest that children in this country might be taught more about their benefactors, including myself?

Then any child, asked about the affairs of the day, would answer in the following manner:

Why are we living in peace, if not safety?

Because kind Uncle Ernie Bevin is taking care of us, and the help of kind Uncle Harry Truman. But what he does is nothing to what the aid of kind Uncle Mat, whose income tax buys most of the arrangements.

Why do you have lovely cheap food to eat?

Because of kind Uncle Maurice Wilks. But he couldn't do it without the aid of kind Uncle Nat's income tax, which pays for food subsidies.

Why can Mummie get free medicine when she imagines she has a headache?

Because of kind Uncle Nye Bevan. But he couldn't do it without the aid of kind Uncle Nat's income tax, which pays for the health service.

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Then who is your greatest benefactor?

Kind Uncle Mat.

ENGAGEMENT OFF

An indignant girl, complaining to a newspaper about the meanness of her fiancee says that the broadest hints and "even leading" have failed to produce an engagement ring or even the smallest gift.

CHORUS—*Too, dear?*

Charles, green Bind an engagement ring—*Has he?*

It looks ever so nice. They do look sure don't they? Specially them with pearls and rubies.

Those your favorites?—Oh, definitely. Unless you are a single diamond.

Yes, I like a single diamond. More than—Oh, definitely.

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How long are we been engaged, George?—*Engaged? Oh! Oh, years, I should think.*

Only the other day Mum was asking about my engagement ring. She thought I might give back it.—*Lose it?*

You don't are to insult my mother, George—Well, you can't lose something you've never had, can you? It stands to reason.

Do you know what my sister says about you? She says you're mean.—And she's right! I'm so mean I wouldn't give a starving friend a tanner for a cup of coffee.

George—Tell you what, though. I nearly bought you something last week. It was so cheap I said to myself "The very thing for my girl" Then I said to myself, "No, I'll invest in a football pools."

What happened?—*I won £1,000. You know it's your birthday tomorrow?*

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I ought to, George—Well, I tried to forget it but I couldn't. So I said to myself, "I'll buy her some little thing for mum." But then I said, "No! I'll put the money in the pools again." So if you've thinking about a birthday present, you've got it.

I see—But I tell you what.

Yes, George?—*If I win another £1,000 I'll buy you some bath salts for Christmas. I will definitely.*

Thank you, George. *But if the money goes down this week you've got it for Christmas, too. Definitely.*

—London Express Service.

THIS WEEK'S COVER

This is the season for the harvest of holly long used on Christmas decoration in Church and home in all parts of the civilized world. The decking of churches and houses with evergreens at Christmas springs from a period antecedent to the revelation of Christianity and seems to be derived from the custom prevalent during the Saturnalia of the inhabitants of Rome ornamenting their temples and dwellings with green boughs. An old writer in Chambers' Book of Days recorded: "So our churches and houses dashed with rosemary, bayes, holly and ivy, and other plants which are always green. Winter and Summer, signifying and put us in mind of His Deity, that the child that now was born was God and man, who should spring up like a tender plant should always be green and flourishing and live for evermore."

Old Homes and Families

By Jim Nesbitt

"CAN I have Billy Buttons Mr Bowman?

It was one of the blades of the town, anxious to make a good impression with his best girl.

He was talking to W. G. Bowman, owner of a fine livery stable when Victoria was young.

"Well, young man—I wouldn't trust Billy Buttons with you."

Mr Bowman was stern.

"You're going out with your best girl and you'll be paying more attention to her than to Billy Buttons and I don't want Billy hurt and I don't want you too killed."

"But Mr Bowman I promise you I said I'd get Billy Buttons."

"Well, you're not going to have him, young man—and if that girl thinks more of a horse even Billy Buttons than she does of you she's not worth having. Here—take Prince—he's good and sleepy now, and used to lovesick couples—he just meanders along."

Everybody in the town wanted Billy Buttons—but Mr Bowman was stern. Only he best horsemen could have Billy. Mr Bowman wouldn't take their word they were good horsemen—he had to see them in action first.

HE KNEW HORSES

W. G. Bowman knew horses and he knew them. He was happy and the theatre and distinguished visitors from the docks to the Grand Hotel, the finest hotel of its day north of San Francisco.

A NEW BUILDING

It was in early 1891 he moved his quarters, according to The Colonist. "Pegasus now home—Yesterday Mr W. G. Bowman removed his horses and vehicles to the new stables on Broad Street opposite the east end of Trounce Alley. The stables are lofty and airy, well lighted and drained and most conveniently arranged. Front side and rear openings afford ample means of exit in case of fire. The stalls number 18. In securing the animals the halter will be discarded and a strap across the entrance of the stall substituted. "In a building in the rear four box stalls will be provided. On another side of the Broad Street entrance to the carriage room. Upstairs are the men's quarters over the stalls the hay and other feed will be kept. At the side is a long shed in which horses may be sheltered temporarily. The stable is the largest and most conveniently arranged in the province.

"The main building it was revised as a hotel in 1890 and was then known as the Clifton House. Afterwards it passed into Mr G T Seymour's hands and by him was continued as a furniture warehouse until he met his death in a most mysterious manner in 1878.

"Mr. Bowman's enterprise is deserving of encouragement."

SAVE THE HORSES

It was a good thing Pegasus new home had ample means of exit in case of fire. In October, 1897 the means of exit were needed and they proved ample and apparently not one horse was lost.

The Colonist of October 1, 1897 told the story: "At half past two this morning special officer Double discovered fire issuing from Bowman's new stables opposite the Grand Hotel. He gave the alarm from the Dolge Bell and he first engine was soon on the spot. In removing the horses, harness and vehicles The building first started with the exception of the front building in the rear of Mayor Shakespeare's house were dry and the frame stable was actual time on fire. The flames were soon often extinguished the flames. Sparks set the Grand Hotel mansard roof on fire in many places, but a bucket brigade took quart and kept the flames in check until more efficient means arrived. The stream thrown by the fire engine was very weak.

"By 3 a.m. the upper portion of the Grand House had been entirely destroyed. The roof of Dr Powell's Masons, Spencers and Jenkins' houses were on fire but flames were extinguished by engines.

"The whole town of course was greatly excited when news of the fire appeared in The Colonist at the breakfast tables. A great sight. Fire well went up when it was learned all the horses were safe most of all Billy Buttons.

"Mr. Bowman would have died himself if anything happened to that Billy Buttons and all Victoria

OF BILLY BUTTONS

We know today about Billy Buttons from the reminiscences of Jack "Long Gun" Irvine. He wrote "An old-time livery barn was on Broad street—the Bowman livery a big outfit. There was a horse he owned that should have had a monument

THE W. G. BOWMAN HOME on Yates Street—a wide open door and always a meal

W. G. BOWMAN
—eye on Billy Buttons

rounded by the good earthy smells of his big stables and often he was into the mystery to buy his stock. He and R P Rithet were good friends horse dealing then close together. Often Bowman was at Rithet's "Broadmead Farm near Royal Oak.

"I love bronco too. Mrs Bowman would say to her husband. "But I declare to goodness I believe you would go off the wide West. I know you talk to them and I sometimes think horses understand what you say."

"Well, they get on much better with me if I talk to them," Mr Bowman would say. "But don't worry, I'm first, my dear, and then the horses."

We do not know a day with Mr and Mrs. Bowman arrived in Victoria. She was a widow for their marriage notice in The Colonist of May 27 1891 said: "On the 6th inst. at the residence of Rev. Mr. Pike, William G. Bowman of Victoria, to Mrs. Bowman, widow of A. McMorran, late of Fort Langley and formerly of Victoria."

HOME ON YATES

According to an old directory Mr. Bowman lived boarding in her private home on Yates Street. It was a big, respectable place, with a big garden out on the street side and a sort of "open house" for all who passed by. It is cast back in hard times. Mrs Bowman kept her door open and her table spread for any hungry man who came along and no questions asked.

Bowman did well with his horses and carriages and was able to expand. He moved from Trounce Alley along Broad Street, built a big old building and remodeling it. He drove the town—first to City Parks days in Victoria. He wrote: "Another livery stable was on Trounce Alley the proprietor was Lord John Russel, the man who introduced the Bowman cab to Victoria. I never knew why he was called Lord John Russel but as long as I have him that was what he was called. I think it was because he put on lot of airs. Just the sort he sure would make a good member of his family right.

"In Winter, when there was snow and good sleighing Lord John also took the cab with his fancy sleigh and fine horses. A sleigh ride with him would put you back two dollars and fifty cents per hour and believe it or not, he was one guy always takes up from morning to midnight.

"So you can tell there was money made in livery business. In fall I think it was on a par with the salmon business the salmon people didn't take up that business so for their health."

A SAD TIME

Victoria was saddened in 1902 when Mr Bowman died. The Colonist of June 27 announcing the death of Mrs. W. G. Bowman commented yesterday morning after a lingering illness Mrs Bowman was one of the early residents of Victoria and was widely distinguished for numerous acts of charity and kindness. Many young men who landed here in the early days looked in her a true friend and wise counsellor. She was one of those who "went about doing good by stealth" and during the financial panic of 1893 and 1895 numerous poverty-stricken households had reason to bless the name of Mrs. Bowman. The memory of her good deeds will long remain fresh in the hearts of the recipients. The stricken family have our sincere sympathy."

The funeral was widely attended Mrs. Bowman died in her home. It shows the respect in which the family was held. Pall bearers were prominent citizens Alexander Mounsey, Robert Wallace J Burns J Lawson R P Rithet, Joseph Hunter, Rev. Rev. Mr. McGregor of St. Andrew's Church conducted the service.

IN NEW HUMS!

We do not know when Mr. Bowman died. The family Bowman probably soon after the death of his wife. Thus Bowman Street, first becoming the town's business thoroughfare and then residential street was selling at fabulous sums to make way for business buildings. And so Mr. Bowman, being a good business man, made some money and went to the James Bay.

Thus old bonhomme disappeared the manor rear where it came to and he linked off drifting his hogs. He had a cabin on the James Bay home. It was a home that contributed to his death.

The Colonist in September of 1902 told Victoria: "The death occurred at the family residence, Beacon Street, of W. G. Bowman, who has been ever since in connection with the mail collecting department of the post office for several years. He was a native of Littleton, New Hampshire and was well known in Victoria having for years been in the transfer business. Death it is understood was brought on by a stroke of paralysis. Deceased was aged 68 years. Mr Bowman

Experimental Farm Notes

How to Plant Young Fruit Trees

AT this season many fruit trees are being received from the nurseries for garden planting. A few notes on this operation may not be amiss. Holes should be dug somewhat larger than the spread of the roots of the young tree-active the broken roots and unseasonably long portions have been removed. The top soil is better laid to one side separated from the rubbish. Extreme care should be taken in filling the earth around the roots by repeated tramping. The surface soil is filled in first and the subsoil last. A shovelful of well-rotted compost may be mixed with the soil in the bottom of the peach tree hole. Set the tree about two inches lower than it stood in the nursery. Trees on dwarfing stock (E M No 1E) are usually grafted high, but in any case the point of union between stock and scion should be above soil level. Dwarf trees should also be staked and supported. Keep trees free from drying out at all times. This is most important. Exposure to the air can do the roots no good at any time. Yearling trees from the nursery are undersorted. After planting prune back to the desired height, having in mind the scaffolding branches are to come out below this point. Low headed trees require less labor in pruning, picking and spraying.

HYBRID VEGETABLES

Nowadays advertisements in home and garden magazines and seed catalogues emphasize more and more the merits of hybrid vegetables, and at the time goes on they will, without doubt, become increasingly important. The field which at first was restricted to corn, has now broadened to include pepper, tomatoes, eggplant, squash, cucumbers, and now onions, with the cabbage family about to be invaded in the near future. Researchers are constantly working to lengthen the list of good hybrids With special corn for specific purposes.

What is there about these hybrids which makes them so desirable? In general, hybrids tend to be more uniform in all characters, more vigorous and show productivity far acceptable when give them especial merit to market gardeners, shippers and freezers.

ROOT TEMPERATURES

With Easter coming up earlier than usual, methods of hastening flowering are of prime consideration. Generally speaking, recommendations for flowers are that normally a low temperature of 58 to 58 degrees F for rooting be used. However, according to experiments, work in which control rooting temperatures of 48 to 48 degrees F, 60 to 58 degrees F, 63 to 65 degrees F, 70 to 72 degree F and 80 to 82 degrees F, levels were used, it now appears that faster lilies root better at temperatures above 60 degrees F than below 60 degrees F. Results also show that rooting temperature influences the subsequent rate of stem growth. In addition, the results demonstrated that lilies rooted at a temperature of 80 degrees to 82 degrees required approximately 20 days to bloom, compared to 140 to 150 for lilies rooted at 52 to 58 degrees. Also lilies rooted at 80 to 82 degrees produced slightly more stems per plant than those rooted at 60 degrees and flowering commercial number. Results lilies, for instance, were ready for flower earlier and produced a greater number of blooms per plant when rooted at 62 to 64 degrees than rooted at 52 to 58 degrees.

Supplementary lighting using Mazda lamps has also been shown to retard flowering. Experimental results show however, that a growing temperature for the plants above 60 to 70 degrees results in little if any earlier flowering under electric lights as compared to the same temperature without lights. To obtain earlier flowering with Easter lilies a temperature somewhat below 65 to 70 degrees is necessary. From this it will readily be seen that of time two means available for hastening flowering of Easter lilies, it is a matter of the correct use of light and temperature.

Dwarf Palms for Window Plants

By DEAN HALLIDAY

PALMS add a tropical touch to window gardens. Dwarf varieties are suitable for even the small apartments. They act off to best advantage any flowering plants which may be arranged with them.

Phoenix Roebelii is a fine dwarf house palm. It is slow growing and tractable. It is of the feathery type with leaf stems springing from near the base so that it forms a graceful "fountain of green," as shown in the accompanying Garden Group. It is extremely hardy.

Another dwarf palm, illustrated comes from Guatemala. Known as Neanthe bella, it is adaptable to household use. It gives less than a foot high. It is possible to keep this palm in a four or five-inch pot, even when it reaches full maturity.

Two other excellent palms for lower branches may be left permanently to sweep the ground.

Decorating growing shrubs are a ways superseding their older, weaker and bloomed-out wood with new and vigorous growths. Therefore she general practice in the pruning of shrubs is to remove all dead wood all branches which look tiggy or are too weak for satisfactory flower production, and those interfering with the symmetry and attractiveness of the shrub or the development of younger, more vigorous and more valuable shoots that are to bear the blooms in the immediate future. Pruning of flowering shrubs is essentially a thinning out process. The shoots removed are cut back to the level of the ground, not headed back to develop weak worthless laterals or to die. Any general heading back shearing or clipping of shrubs is to be avoided if attractiveness and flower production is to be maintained. When the proper shrubs are selected for the foundation planting, heading back is seldom a never required

PHOENIX ROEBELLIN IS A "FOUNTAIN OF GREEN"

DWARF PALM, FROM GUATEMALA

Apricot Versus Peach Rootstocks

APRICOT trees in the first growing districts of British Columbia have mainly been propagated on apricot or peach seedlings. At the present time peach seedlings are more widely used than apricot for this purpose by commercial nurseries, and it seems to be the opinion among most nurserymen that peach seedlings are more easily established and produce a more uniformly vigorous nursery tree.

Experience at the Summerland Experimental Station, has shown that F W Kinsie, that under conditions prevailing there satisfactory stands of both kinds of seedling can readily be obtained from pits, and that good nursery trees can be grown with equal ease on either stock.

In comparing the resulting trees under orchard conditions an important point has been observed. Trees on peach rootstocks grow vigorously in their early years and in the case of apricots on peach roots a tendency has been noted for the young trees to break off at the bud union when trees are six years old. This breakage occurs during high winds in November and early January. The trees break cleanly across the union, operate a set back of about 3 weeks in continuity of structure between the wood those of the peach and apricot. Losses of this kind have been reported by growers in Okanagan, Similkameen, Summerland, Penticton, Peachland, Westbank and Kelowna and have also been experienced in Okanagan Mission. In some cases losses have been as high as 50 per cent of plantings. Similar breakage has not so far been observed in the trees of apricots budded on apricot seedling rootstocks.

Correct Method of Pruning Ornamental Trees, Shrubs

CANADA has been blessed with a wonderful heritage in the Canadian forest, and in ornamental trees. The value of their beauty to our homes, our gardens, our streets, and our parks, on our streets and highways cannot be overlooked in monetary terms.

Ornamental trees may withstand for many years adverse conditions to which they are not exposed in their natural forest surroundings, states R D L Bligh, senior horticulturist, Dominion Experimental Station, Kentville N.S. It is to our advantage when planting to provide suitable environmental conditions for the proper development and longevity of the trees planted.

INJURED ROOTS

At planting time any broken or badly injured roots should be removed. The branches of deciduous trees should be reduced to correspond with the reduction of their root system. This operation should not be done by heading all the branches back but by a complete removal of the weaker ones, cutting them out smoothly at their junction with the branches from which they spring, leaving a well-balanced shapely frame to develop into a symmetrical tree. Conifers should not be pruned except to remove dead, broken or damaged branches.

Mature or overgrown shade trees require occasional pruning to keep them well shaped and in a vigorous condition. This pruning removes all dead, diseased and mechanically injured branches. Some weak branches should be taken out unless their removal interferes with the symmetry and beauty of the tree. Suckers or waterspouts originating from the trunk, crotches or main scaffold branches should be removed promptly unless an occasional one may be needed to replace openings made by the loss of branches by wind breakage.

Most ornamental trees grow symmetrically. Therefore, most of their pruning is for removing of wayward or lower branches that destroy symmetry or obstruct walks, drives or views.

LOWER BRANCHES

The beauty of evergreens is marred by the removal of their lower branches. It is well to give special attention at the time of tree planting so to locate them that their

Gardening Hints

Apple trees can be planted in late Autumn after the trees have shed their leaves. If they are to be planted in the Spring, the earlier they can be put into the ground the better

No matter what the vegetable, it will taste better the sooner it is cooked after being harvested. Half an hour may be sufficient, to dull the flavor of those that are rich in sugar, which quickly begins to change to starch.

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Mushrooms do not get sweeter after picking. For full flavor leave them to ripen. Unripened fall apart when cooked.

Grapes may be protected from birds and insect pests by covering the branches with paper bags, these bags being fastened in place tightly with a string or paper clip.

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Beets may be stacked by some of the wheelbarrow. These pants weave the leaves together and eat the foliage. Spray with arsenate of lead to control them.

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You and Your Car

By F. C. RUSSELL

In spite of inflation the man with a modern convertible can still bring down the overhead in a hurry.

BETTER TOE THE MARK

IT may be natural to wilful disregard for highway rules and regulations, but more sympathetic observers hold to the view that a high proportion of violations is due to failure to understand the regulations. Whatever the cause, far too many drivers are running risks which are likely to land them in jail or a hospital, endangering the lives of other users of the road. It is especially evident in the matter of the double solid line in the centre of a highway. This means "no passing" in either direction, but too many drivers fail to heed the fact that only when the line on their side is broken are they permitted to attempt a passing, assuming other regulations are complied with and the passing is justified. Where a solid line cuts across to the right of the road, it means the driver must fall into single line

Where drives are divided into lanes it is usually permissible to pass to the right or left, but where there are no divisions passing is allowed only on the left. But this does not mean you have the right to force the driver ahead and force him to move over to the right as he may already be driving faster than the law allows.

Nothing substitutes for a clear understanding of the meaning behind the rules. There's no such thing as being half safe.

PLAN AHEAD AWAY

They tell me that one owner of a new car recently dropped in on charge on a tour and then had a most difficult time getting started. Much home they found that the roadside mechanic had drained off the oil from the automatic transmission and had put all the new oil into the already filled engine crankcase. Not sure that this isn't just a yarn, but it does illustrate the point that an inexperienced fabrication man could drain the wrong unit, resulting in ruination of the automatic transmission

Any Healthy Person May Help The Red Cross Save a Life

Blood Donations Are Given Free to Patients in Need

By S. M. WEBB and G. E. MORTIMORE

AT the coat of a pastime pin prick on the arm and 40 minutes of spare time any healthy person can help save a life

No money can buy the blood which is fed into the veins of desperately ill and hurt people to give them a lightning chance. The Red Cross gives it, away free, because thousands of unselfish donors answer the call of mercy. More donors are always needed

One hundred pints of blood are needed every day and every day a week to supply British Columbia hospitals

Every day lives are saved and patients are eased back on the road to health as donors are given every day all types of blood at a moment's notice

SPECIAL TYPES

Emergency supplies of special types of blood are rushed by plane boat, train and car to accident, fire and critical hospital cases. Babies afflicted with the dread Rh factor owe their lives to a complete blood replacement a few hours after birth The Red Cross Provincial laboratory in Vancouver also conducts a free service for the doctors of the province by testing the blood of expectant mothers for the Rh factor. More than 47,000 such tests have been made since 1947

The development of the blood transfusion system has assumed international importance and a recognized as one of the outstanding humane services of the Red Cross

EARLY EXPERIMENTS

In old times it was believed that drinking blood would give strength The possibility of the transference of blood from one person to another was freely discussed in the 17th century. A great controversy raged around on the heart and circulation in 1628 aquired interest in the subject Several experiments were carried out A disastrous series of attempts in France to transfer animals blood to humans put blood transfusion under a cloud The first humanto-human transfusion was reported to have been carried out successfully in London in 1818

Transfusion was used to a limited extent in the Franco-Prussian War of 1870. It was still a hit-or-miss procedure, though, because the most important fact about blood transfusion was not discovered Doctors still wondered why some transfusions were followed by convulsions and sometimes by death

It was found in 1907 that blood from a donor must be carefully matched with the blood of the recipient, if serious trouble was to be avoided. The original blood test groups and tests, now so complicated, have been discovered

NECESSARY IN WAR

Both sides had given tremendous stimulation to the study and improvement of transfusion

"By D-Day," wrote the medical correspondent of The London Times, "it was regarded as as vital obstacle a commodity in the medical services as penicillin or sulphonamide tablets The low death rate among casualties owes much to the blood transfusion service"

In 1931 a London hospital asked the secretary of a division of the British Red Cross Society to find a volunteer donor This secretary—the late Sir Percy Lane Oliver—produced a donor and went on to promote a full-scale transfusion service

THAT BH FACTOR

In 1940 "Rh factor" was discovered. Red blood cells of six out of seven people contain a "rhesus factor" so-called because it is similar to one found in the red blood cells of the rhesus monkey. An Rh-negative woman whose husband is Rh-positive may give birth to a baby with a serious blood disorder.

A complicated transfusion gradually removes the baby's blood and replaces it by that of a suitable donor. The blood of donors without Rh factor is much in demand

British Columbia hospitals have performed more than 80 such replacement transfusions, and have administered over 50,000 other transfusions.

Donations and transfusions know no boundaries of race creed or country. In 1919 the Red Cross societies of the world formed the League of Red Cross Societies comprising 70 countries. The league meets regularly to exchange ideas and share discoveries. Each member country is pledged to aid any member which has suffered a national disaster with food, clothes, blood plasma and whatever else is needed

WHERE TO GIVE

In British Columbia there are 50 - 000 Red Cross workers in 87 branches. 97 per cent of whom are volunteers.

Victoria and district holds monthly blood donor clinics Registered donors are notified A mobile clinic comes over from Vancouver staffed by expert nurses and technicians, with a doctor in attendance Donors must be between 18 and 65 and healthy

A new donor is met by a volunteer, who gives him a soft drink and enters his name and address on a file card At the clinic technicians take a small drop of blood a obtained by pricking a finger It is dropped into a tube of copper sulphate solution to determine the haemoglobin content or "meat" in the blood. If it is not up to standard, the prospective donor is asked to call again later

Two more drops are put on a small white tile and treated with serina to determine the group—A B, AB or O

A LITTLE TIME

In the collection room, a V.A.D. directs the donor to lie down A slight local anaesthetic in the arm prevents pain. It takes from three to seven minutes to take a pint of blood The chemistry of the body replaces it in about an hour

After the donation is completed the donor is taken to a restroom where he may lie for ten minutes Press here be goes to the refreshment room and has a cup of coffee or tea and biscuits

Once performed donors add their blood by the pint, but since 1947 the Canadian Red Cross Society has carried on the services free of charge

All the blood collected throughout British Columbia is shipped back to the provincial laboratory in Vancouver where it is separated by highly trained Red Cross technicians to insure against disease

THE BLOOD BANK

Blood is stored in the provincial blood bank which supplies hospitals throughout British Columbia Here all technical equipment used is carefully checked, sterilized and stored at the Red Cross blood transfusion depot.

Blood may be given as whole blood transfusions, up to 21 days from the time of the donation Any blood left after this period is made into blood plasma

The donor will probably never know whose life he has helped to save, but he can be assured his wife's, his son's—or his own.

RH TWINS pictured here are among the thousands who owe their lives to the Red Cross Blood Transfusion Service and the people who support it. Two small British Columbia citizens born with Rh factor, received Red Cross replacement transfusions, rushed from the blood bank the night they were born and for several weeks afterwards. Now they are healthy, their wives born and fully grown. Over 90 per cent of maternity cases require blood transfusion

PAINLESS BLOOD DONATION meets a smile from both donor and Red Cross nurse while a pint of blood is being taken. The donation takes only 40 minutes, and there is no after-effects Most regular donors come to the clinic every hour to six months

Tuberous Begonias

With care, delicate Tuberous Begonias can be kept for several years. Before killing frosts, lift the entire plant leaving dirt on the roots. Store in a cool dry cellar until the old stems and foliage is ready to break off. After a few weeks remove the old roots and soil. Cut away any decay when tubers are dry Dust them with powdered charcoal Store the tubers in peat moss, vermiculite, sawdust or sand in a temperature around 50 degrees Potted plants can be left to dry as their containers then store in a dark room at 50 degrees

Garden Century Seeds
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Secrets of the Great Houdini

By STUART O. HALT
North American Newspaper Alliance

WHEN a medium tried to get through to Harry Houdini recently, with some of the top mystical figures in the land in attendance Bert Cobb of Providence, R.I., sat back and chuckled.

"Hey-old Bert, who is white whiskers and mustache were added would make a dandy middle-aged Santa Claus, knew that if the dead Houdini were able to make contact from the world beyond he would have sent a special message to him

They had a compact, he and Felix Grondahl, stockbroker, operator of the Providence Opera House, and Houdini. Whenever they met they swapped a message to the other.

"I haven't heard a thing yet," said Bert

KNEW HIM BEST

In real and short his pockets bulging with pencils, pipes, crumb and cigars, Bert is one of Providence's most interesting businessmen, a maker of keys and opener of deposit locks, and the man who knew Houdini best in all Rhode Island

Bert was his confidant when the Prince of Escapers was in Rhode Island helped design his equipment, and until recently had guarded closely the details of his relationships with the great mystery man

"Houdini was a great showman," said Bert decided that maybe there were those who would be interested in how Houdini operated, how this man who died in 1926 created a reputation which has become almost a myth

"Everybody knows," said Bert the other day, "how I met Houdini, how I heard he was coming to town and challenged him to get out of a pair of handcuffs I had made. Bet I'll bet you don't know how he did it out

"Before the performance—he was appearing at the old Keith Theatre—he came into the shop and asked to inspect the handcuffs and key I showed them to him. Then he shook his head and looked up, laughing. You might as well give me a key," he said, because if you don't I'll just as out and have one made" He opened his hand and showed me a bit of wax on which he had taken an impress of the key while he held it. So I gave him a key"

Keys may have had something to do with it Houdini, the son of an Hungarian Rabbi, had once worked as an apprentice to a locksmith. He could open almost any lock, and anything he didn't know about the device Bert did

"You take handcuffs," said Bert lighting a cigar. "There wasn't a pair of handcuffs in the country that Houdini couldn't get out of Leg irons, too. There were only a few companies in those days which made them and a key for one set would fit all the cuffs made by that company Houdini had keys for all of them

"One kind, as a matter of fact, didn't even need a key. You could take up in a certain spot and it would fly open I remember Houdini used to get people to bring him handcuffs from the audience and put a pair of that kind showed up he would angrily rap them on a table They would spring open and he would hand them back, saying they weren't good enough for him"

FAMOUS ESCAPE

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THE TRIMMINGS

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"Then came the inspection of the cell. Now the usual jail cell is a pretty barren place—a cot, a lavatory, a wooden bench, and that's about all Houdini would make quite a show of examining the cell and at some point would put his key under the seat of the bench while looking, right in the centre.

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"He was all set then. When they put him in the cell he was stripped and searched. Houdini helped, picking up the wooden bench, making sure that one hand gripped it as this place where the key was attached

"When they locked him in, Houdini's man Frank took up a position outside the door at the end of the row of cells. No one was allowed within sight of the cell Houdini unlocked the door and slipped outside. If one was handy he would release a prisoner from a nearby cell and lock him in his own cell to add to the mystery.

Spences Bridge

By LES RIMES

IN 1866 an enterprising young pioneer with an eye to business, built a bridge across the Thompson River charging a toll to those who passed that way, many of them bound for the north, and the gold of the Cariboo. The bridge put Cook's ferry out of business.

While it is likely the bridge was no big money maker and while the timbers have long gone rotted away, the ingenuity and enterprise of the young builder are not forgotten.

For the town which sprawls on both sides of the bridge site is called Spences Bridge.

PRIVATE LANDS

Main reason the little Thompson River town hasn't been great, puts for growth is that the land on the west side of the river is part of the Cheslo estate that on the east side was part of the Smith estate. The hotel and many of the business places in the town section are on leased land; their owners are reluctant to spend too much money on improvements until the titles are clear. And you can't blame them.

Opposite on the east side Harold Gallagher bought the Smith estate two years ago and has subdivided the land into business and building lots. It looks now as if the main growth may be over on that side of the river.

Gallagher has built a general store, a gas station, and contemplates a cafe. He's sold 22 acres with an acreage given on it to Dawson Clapperton, who has a motel in the shape of the tepee. Clapperton is considering building a hotel on Gallagher's side, another thinks there is a good prospect for a sawmill.

If these are built they will be on the east side, on the site of the old Smith ranch. Fruit from the ranch was pretty well-known in the days. A few samples went to the London Exposition because the apple of the eye of King Edward VII was apple Mr. Smith complimenting him on his royal fruit.

The house grove by the Clapperton motel, was planted in 1904. Now the trees are in the highway (awaiting a cathedral).

The proposed sawmill will help the economy of the town. Presently Spences Bridge is a rail-way junction and the centre for ranchers as well as a good place to stop for refreshments after the drive over the Canyon Highway. Railway workers see a bright future if the two transcontinental railways Dinsmore Kamloops and North Bend may be cut out as divisional points and Spences Bridge, between the two, will become the main service point.

FEW ACTIVITIES

A small town there are not the diversified activities drawing the crowds. There are no lodges or service clubs. So, most of the folks join in on Community Club activities.

"Business we hold winter roasts and card parts down on the river bank," says Doris Rate effervescent young president of the club. "Sometimes we have a sing-song or an accordion jamboree. Most of the time we have boy scouts cooking wieners and talking.

FRANK CLEMS shows off old motor car bought by his father at Paris Exposition in 1900 when Clems, Spences Bridge pioneers, lived in Spences Bridge economy. Car still runs according to Fogg.

"We put a sign up outside the Post Office and wonder why we don't get visitors—we'll just everybody.

"In the Winterlime we have card games and dances in the Community Hall. Everybody is invited. When it gets too cold, we have card games in members' homes."

Last Winter, when a passenger train was stowed in at Spences Bridge, Doris and her committee invited all passengers to one of the card games in a private room set up. About 30 came. They'll always have a soft spot in their hearts for Spences Bridge.

GRAND SCENERY

When the face-lifted Canyon Highway is completed, the town will become a comfortable day's drive from Vancouver, through some of the grandest scenery to be found anywhere. You can get there by early afternoon, perhaps take up to the soda springs for a dip or down along the banks of the Thompson to the aisle of trees where the Indians had a ceremonial ground before the white man came or you can try fishing in the Thompson. Not bad they say.

And if you do drive up that way, pick on a day when the Community Club is holding one of its beach parties or what drive or dinner. Chances are you'll have a delegation inviting you along to join in the fun. And if you aren't invited beforehand go along anyway. There is the kind of people in Spences Bridge who will make you most welcome.

Tips for Teens

By ELINOR WILLIAMS

WITH holiday party-time ahead, here's a quick check on date manners. How do yours rate?

It's correct for a boy with a date to arrive at the girl's home on time. If he's unavoidably delayed, a telephone call to let her know is courteous.

A girl with a date plans her time so she'll be ready when her escort arrives. Greet him at the door and invite him to while you get your coat, etc. Don't forget to introduce him to some members of your family—at least one of your parents—before you leave the house.

A girl who has to be home at a certain time (everybody does!) should tell her escort during the date, so they can plan to start homeward in ample time to keep her "deadline." Getting home on time is one good way to be sure that you'll be allowed to have more dates . . . and to prove that you're grown up enough to manage responsibility in an adult way. There's no reason to feel embarrassed about telling your escort that your parents expect you home at a certain "new hour." Most of us have a curfew at some kind all our lives, so let's face it! Boys with have many respect for you if you do, and will like you just as much.

Don't forget that guests have a obligation at parties just as much as the hostess do. If you accept an invitation to a party, it's up to you to join the fun, follow the hostess' suggestions and mingle with others. Boys who gather in a group to talk football and a girl who sees a friend and makes an attempt to meet or mingle with others are impolite.

The Symphony

The Violists

By ARNIE MYERS

This is the third in a series of articles dealing with the instruments of the orchestra and the men and women who play them, in the Victoria Symphony Orchestra.

THE viola is one of those instruments about which there is some difference of opinion among violists and cellists consider it a sort of poor relation but the viola player likes to think of his instrument as a violin that got somewhere.

Actually it is a sort of overgrown violin built along the same general lines but with a deeper tone. It is used a fifth below the violins and an octave above the cellos.

In a string quartette it sings a tenor role to the soprano and alto of the first and second violins and the cellos base.

In the orchestra it plays a useful if inconspicuous role, serving as a sort of handmaiden to the violins filling noles in chords. Occasionally it gets a chance to carry the melody, but only rarely is it used as a solo instrument.

The viola section in the Victoria Symphony consists of eight members, as compared to the 20-odd in the violin group.

Leader of the violists is Smyth Humphreys, one of the orchestra's top commanding player-coaches.

Mr. Humphreys was born in Liverpool, came to Canada early in life, and was educated mainly in Vancouver. He studied under violinist Maurice Sons then turned to the viola, which he says softly, is something one takes up after mastering the violin.

He lived and taught in Victoria for some time, and once conducted a 60-piece student orchestra at Victoria High School. When he first came here the Victoria Symphony wasn't even a dream. He's surprised and pleased to see how fast the orchestra has come on the right road to success.

He went to the Vancouver Symphony, where he is now first violist in 1934. Humphreys is playing his 16th season with the Victoria symphony. He was hired to develop the viola section and, like Concert-master Cliff-ing Evans, he shuttles back and forth between here and the Mainland.

In Vancouver, Humphreys does most of radio work for the C.B.C. He is a member of the Steinberg string quartette, John Avison's concert orchestra and of the B.C. Conservatory of Music.

He finds Victoria needs something like Vancouver's radio opportunities to hold young players on a year-round basis and give them a chance to build up the symphony. If the money is here, he says, you do have the orchestra.

One of Humphreys' pupils in the Victoria Symphony, Harry Swain, who now plays viola in the symphony. Harry is a local boy, was a bomber and interceptor pilot during the war and came back with a D.F.C.

Another violist with wartime experience is Jean Punnett, who is a veteran of one of the Allied more exclusive military formations.

She was a member of the Women's Auxiliary Service Bureau, a corps of women dedicated to winning back Burma from the Japanese. This

SMYTH HUMPHREYS

Photo by D. T. Jones

Kissing on Sunday Same as Any Day

The Southwest British coastal resort of Tinsland is a place where the implication that it is so prim and proper that kissing is barred there on Sunday.

The misunderstanding of a remark made at the resort last June magnified cartoonist Sean Coughlan of the Daily Express into a cartoon spotlight to draw a cartoon lampooning the town for its supposed prudishness.

A local magistrate, W. C. Bury, insisted at a district council meeting that kissing was forbidden on Sunday under the Sunday Entertainment Act of 1781.

The cartoon, which has been given wide publicity locally, implies that the law—if any exists—is rigidly enforced.

Said J. H. Bland, chairman of the Torquay Chamber of Trade and Commerce,

It is ridiculous. If Coughlan took the trouble to check his facts he would know that Torquay is well equipped with lover's lanes and the couples who use them certainly have not been approached for kissing on Sundays."

Dogs Get Something to Wag About

THE canine population of Britain will get something to wag their tails about now.

A campaign to restore to the dog its nature, appendage—a full-flowing tail—was launched by the British National Canine Defence League at its annual conference in London.

There was an eloquent plea by Lord Dunsany against the barbarous practice of docking. The hereditary peer, noted Lord Dunsany, are pedigree breeders, who have had

The Man Devil's Island Couldn't Hold

When Scotland Yard Picked Up an Old Man in a Hotel Lobby for Loitering the Officer Didn't Know He Had Arrested a Legend and Found a Story

By EX-SUPT. BOB FABIAN of Scotland Yard

THAT white-haired old man was up to mischief. Instinct made me watch him. I was in the lush foyer of a West End hotel. The old man sat pretending to read a newspaper. But behind it his white head bobbed like a cotton spindle.

I stopped behind a potted palm, probably appearing no less furtive and continued to watch. It was 1938. I had passed my examination for detective-sergeant three years ago but they hadn't promoted me yet. I was spending my leisure evening London, seeking crime.

The old man got up walked nearer reception desk picked up an expensive cashiers multi-use awaiting a owner, carried it along to his seat. He seated himself, buried his face in his paper. Soon a prosperous-looking man came seeking his suitcase. He provided the vestibule with a

My potential victim lowered his newspaper as the man approached the table. He recognized the suitcase identity. With a curt nod the owner claimed it.

He had two more attempts. Obviously he was trying to pick a bag that would not be immediately claimed.

It was such a pathetic fumbling method of trying to steal. I walked briskly across the lounge. I felt as much to put him out of his difficulty as to prevent theft. I wanted to give him a chance of loitering with intent to steal.

ARRESTED A LEGEND

I took his thin arm to gently arrest. "You want to give up crime before it becomes a habit?" I said.

I took him to Vine Street police station. The station sergeant's eyes widened. Hello! he said surprised. "What's he been doing?"

Loitering with intent, sarge. . . . And . Why, d'you know name? The sergeant looked at the thoughtfully in the force knew him. he said. I think practically every body in the world knew him. That's why I put the handcuffs on you—in case they big pet the man who escaped from Devil's Island.

There I remembered. It was a famous case. Eddie Guerin had robbed the American Express Company, offices in Paris, taken 240,000 from the safe. He was sentenced to life imprisonment shipped to Devil's Island. The type of his escape has hardship endurance was one of the outstanding of criminals.

Eddie Guerin was my prisoner his eyes once again curiously alive. "No harm done, sir," he said, and no hard feelings. I deserved what I got."

I rather liked the old man for that. He received three months at Marlborough Street. While he was doing them I studied his record through. It is always interesting to meet a legend.

Eddie Guerin was 41 when he was sent to Devil's Island penal settlement in French Guiana. He escaped in 1923.

Escaped from Devil's Island was no least crime entry in his file. It shunts and jolts all over France from gaol to gaol until it filled with men or women's. His face darkened. They used to send women. They sent a girl, Thomasine, she was 22 years old. Can you imagine?

Then you men, Marie, chained in batches of four to the little wagon where the prison ship waits." He swallowed.

BETTER GO OVERBOARD

You go below into steel rooms 30 men to each cage. At first they're nasty with men and you wonder why. Well, the warders have been filling the steam pipes. There is quiet scalding steam into those cages. Men go mad. Men fall off their bunks, all the sign of a riot.

"It doesn't make you feel very human," he said. "The voyage goes on about three weeks. One four on each watch day, that's all. At night men fatigh and cry in their sleep. It funny how the imagination hang you can see big bearded men fast asleep sigh, tears running out of their shut eyes.

Some men go overboard during watch hour. They don't stop at the ship. The warders just shrug. He better where he is, they say. That's encouraging, isn't it?

I murmured something. Eddie didn't seem to hear. He went on. "They dock at St Laurent. Most of the men go on the mainland prison. Maybe I was a freak, an Englishman—they put me on Devil's Island, just a bit of rock out to sea. It only holds about 100 prisoners, mostly political prisoners. Dreyfus was one of 'em. For 4 years, three years years earlier. His hut was still there, made of mud, driftwood palm leaves.

"They give you some gear and tools and the sea and say, Now you got a week to build yourself a hut, get little brave one if not we'll find you a hole in the rock on St Joseph Island."

INSECTS WELCOMED

That was the worst place that I ever. Big insects. Bigger than. These holes—you couldn't quite stand full length. There was no ventilation. I'm a black lung man. After a few weeks in darkness your eyes get coming and sore and water.

The insects were thick in 'em, because they weren't often cleaned out. He looked at me. "I don't mean big cockroaches, sir," he said quietly. "You understand. Bonnes—pseudo-sia centipedes two feet long. I've known men chuckle like kids on Christmas morning to find a giant centipede in the hole with them. Take a pick it up, and find themselves with it, then scream for the guard as the poison pulled into their chests like necklaces of red stinger."

"Steady on, Eddie," I said. He gathered his self-control. His eyes, blazed slightly with characteristic drink. It had been only a few glasses but he was had out of Devil's Island—focused me firmly.

"Yes, he said. "You're easier than we. It was all a long time ago. Let's forget it, eh?"

That was no near as I came and no fear. I think so, his letting mean has put been, to extracting the true tale of the epic escape of Eddie Guerin from Devil's Island.

MYSTERY OF THOMASINE

Eddie Guerin himself came on September 5, 1940 in a public meeting at Bury, Lancashire. He had been evacuated from London. Before that he lived at a Marylebone boarding house in the Vauxhall district of London drawing an old age pension. He was 80 years old when he died.

I made a few inquiries. There was a young French girl named Thomasine who had been sent to Devil's Island. Apparently the name Eddie Guerin. She was rumored to have helped him to escape in some way, and was sid there, an incredibly short sentence, all her suffering. I do not know if there was any romance between these one indeed have there could be.

But it would be amazing if Eddie Guerin had to do anything to hell in order to find his heaven. He struggled hard, desperately time (fire—to discover nothing but misery pretty and a hopeless death.

Next week: Fabian rounds up the crook who had his "open sesame" to last a block of terror Flat

Portuguese Convinced Columbus, Not Another, Discovered America

By ADOLFO DA ROSA

LISBON — The Portuguese still contend that Christopher Columbus discovered America from another evidence.

That is in spite of the opinion of R. Dacre professor of geography at the University of Exeter, England that it was Fernao Dulmo.

At the British Association meeting in Birmingham Prof. Dacre announced that Dulmo, a famous Portuguese captain, discovered the mainland of America.

His claim was read here with great authority but historians and geographers say it was discovered in Portugal long ago. No decision could be reached, because many documents are missing.

Prof. Dacre turned up new evidence, they said. The facts according to Portuguese experts are three.

Portuguese navigators long before Columbus sailed on August 4, 1492, crew that land by the same ships they crew it even before Columbus first proposed his voyage to King John II of Portugal in 1484.

COLUMBUS DIDN'T KNOW

But Columbus didn't know it. So ignorant was he of the theories of other navigators that, according to experts, he realized he had discovered new continent only on his third voyage in land when he came upon the Orinoco River in what is now Venezuela.

Existing documents reveal that in 1474 the King of Portugal gave to Fernao Teles an influential courtier, the concession of the uninhabited islands of the Mar Tenebroso (Sea of Darkness) and ordered the Portuguese navigator to explore them.

On March 2, 1486 appointed the name of the lieutenant and captain Fernao Dulmo of the Azores islands. A letter signed by King John II addressed to Dulmo, Captain of the Azores Azores was to proceed to the King by Duke Don Manuel, the king's cousin.

Dulmo offered to discover the new continent by sailing west. The Azores at his own expense.

EXPEDITION PLANNED

Without financial means himself however, he came to an agreement with Jose Alfonso do Estreito a navigator from Madeira.

Under the agreement approved by King Alfonso, the last the expedition was to be composed of two caravels each sailing under the command of one of the two associates. The ships were provisioned to take 60 days and the ships were to be gone for six months.

In his letter to Dulmo the king made frequent allusions to the main purpose of the expedition to the navigator military forces to subdue the native. If Dulmo should succeed, he was to receive titles of nobility and great wealth.

Documents in Portuguese reveal nothing more.

Geographers assert that there is no reference to the results of such a trip in any document. Historians believe that the voyage never came off. For on June 18, 1487, Portuguese Kings was living on Terceira Island, the Azores

Stag Lines

By BERT BACHARACH

Shirt-Sweater All in One

FASHION, Rod Cameron (at right) of Columbia's "Blaze to Tucson," wears one of the newest sports shirts, a combination shirt-sweater—all combined in one garment. **Gladgear.** A new unpatented pocket knife contains a wrench, hammer, file, screw driver, bit drill, awl. And blades, too!

Bronze sign marked "open" on one side, "closed" on the other—for your office bar, house or whatever. Time-Clip—alarm clock that snaps on centre of dial. Sweep hand keeps you keep track of those three-minute calls.

Bendy-man. A steak house advises keeping the inside of metal salt shaker tops from rusting in this way: paint with clear nail polish, when dry, open the holes from the inside with a darning needle.

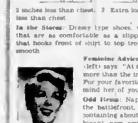
Care of Clothes. It's good economy, and sanitary to air-clean shoes regularly . . . If gloves are discolored and faded, they can easily be home-dyed in a darker color.

Know Your Size: In an earlier column we described "regular," "short" and "long." Here are three more classes. 1 Stout for a man 5' 7" to 5' 8" with waist same size as chest. 2 Portly 5' 7½ to 5' 10" waist

Cabaret Centrifugator

3 inches less than chest. 3 Extra long 5' 3" to 6' 5" waist 8 to 7 inches less than chest.

In the Stores: Dressy type shoes, with leather-covered elastic insets that are as comfortable as a slipper . . . Adjustable spring-leg bag hooks front of chair to keep your handbag from slipping off smooth.



Sentimental

Feminine Advice: Lovely nonsensical Sheryl Knight (left) says "At Christmastime, the sentimental, more than the intrinsic, value that counts is a gift. For your favorite girl, pick something that will remind her of you."

Odd Item: Napoleon not only carried a knife in the battlefront, he had a special compartment containing about 140 items of great importance. Napoleon now owns it.

Easter will fall on March 25 this coming year. It won't be that early again until 1960.

Have 24 Dublins and 16 Belfasts? The word "Pass the Cigars" to radio and TV listeners at John Crosby, who has gags his listeners slightly by forced on his career going to a broadcast of telecast.

BOOKS!

By W. T. GALT

Nothing can illustrate the vast cultural gap between the Old World and the New more clearly than a comparison between the pocket book industries of Britain and North America.

In Britain, pocket books have been made a paying proposition by putting the world's finest writings in literature, science and history within the financial reach of everyone.

On the side of the Atlantic their flashier counterparts have scored terrific financial successes by presenting an entertainment form that is getting to be almost as cultural as a fan dance.

Although the quarter reprint industry has been accused of corrupting the hope that technology and education have made possible, an article in Tomorrow Magazine also points out that some authors, like Erskine Caldwell, approve of them highly.

Robert Sharpless quotes Caldwell as saying "It's like a package of guns. If he can make a good pack for a nickel, any manufacturer would be a fool to limit himself to a ten-cent product."

Caldwell has made a second fortune from the sale of the reprints of his books, the article notes. He have several other authors whose books were among the 175,000,000 sold on this continent in 1949.

But the article points out that this fantastic sales success has tended to reduce the number of "quality" books reprinted and to increase the number of mysteries, Westerns and sex novels.

Sharpless, whose own book, "A Corner of the World," was reprinted under the title "Falling Through Space," which may place it better for some readers than would its British title.

Richard Hilliary, from his early childhood, had been brilliant, cynical and a dreamer arrogant. In the early days of the World War, when he and his fellow-students were being whipped into shape for fighter duty, the influence of a friend named Peter Prior started him questioning his own attitude.

When, days apart, Richard suffered disfiguring burns in a crash in the North Sea, and Peter Prior was killed, the questions became more urgent. During long months in hospital, the young flyer found some of the answers, and determined to set down his findings. The result was "The Last Enemy," or for the United States, where some of it was written, "Falling Through Space."

CONFLICT

The book became an immediate success. But the young flyer, torn between boyish pride and his newfound humility was disturbed by the way he was being made a symbol of the gallant R.A.F. He determined to go back into action, and began training on night fighters.

He was killed during a practice flight over Berwickshire in January 1942, at the age of 22.—J.T.

RICHARD HILLIARY

Tells How Pilot Became Gallant Symbol of R.A.F.

"Richard Hillary," by Lord Dickson (Macmillan, $2.)

How an Australian-born Oxford man became the unwilling symbol of the "as few" of the Battle of Britain is the theme of this biography of Richard Hillary, R.A.F pilot and author of "The Last Enemy."

Lord Dickson, who states clearly more than once that Richard was a writer of tremendous promise, is an editor in the Macmillan firm, and as such may be expected to have solid judgment in such matters.

WELL KNOWN

This reviewer recalls having seen "The Last Enemy" published in condensed form in Readers' Digest under the title "Falling Through Space," which may place it better for some readers than would its British title.

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Mistress of Skillful Plot Writes Charming Novel

"Quorum," by Phyllis Bentley (Macmillan, $3.)

Eight people, each facing what seems to them a crucial personal problem, are adroitly gathered together around the same conference table by Miss Bentley, a mistress of the skillfully compounded plot.

Because the worried eight are meeting to plan a textile pageant for their home town, and are unable to shake off their worries, they bring them along to the conference table which quickly becomes a symbolic battleground where the planning of the pageant becomes an incidental by-product.

This is neither a ponderous nor a long book, however for Miss Bentley writes with pithy brevity considerable charm and much wit. Her main object is to put people under a microscope and study their reactions to one another. She has succeeded admirably.

Perennial committee members will either smile or grow ruffled as Miss Bentley obliquely suggests motives behind good works, but Quorum is a delightful book which will offend no one permanently.—M.D.G.

Adventure With Vikings

"Door to the North," by Elizabeth Cookesley (Winston, $3.)

Another valuable aid for young story in gaining a more thorough grounding of Canadian history is provided with Miss Cookesley's story of 14th century America.

As one of the "Land of the Free" series, "Door to the North" traces the sea and land trip of 48 Norwegians and Swedes in their search for a lost settlement of Christians from the western shores of Greenland.

A realistic picture of life in 1360 is given the reader in the story of Paul Knutson, seaman extraordinary for King Magnus Birkbam, who sails westward to insure the teachings of the early Christian church are being adhered to in Greenland.

When the Viking ship reaches the west coast of Greenland only the empty houses of the former settlers remain. Then begins an exhaustive search, which takes the seafarers into the inner heart of North America.

Always under the impression that any land they sight is an island the crew of Knutson cross what is today the prairie provinces of Canada, and what is now Lake Winnipeg. There they find in search of the missing Christian settlers, they encounter their first meeting under canvas with Indians.

When they reach their objective it is to find the Norwegians teaching Christianity to the Chippewa. Some of the crew stay behind, others return to Norway.

But the fact remains that in 1960 a Minnesota farmer found the rune rock carved by the crew of Paul Knutson recording the history of their mission for King Magnus.

New Haig-Brown Book Reaches High Standard

"Measure of the Year," by Roderick Haig-Brown (Collins, $2.75.)

Seeing the world through the eyes of Roderick Haig-Brown is always a highly-satisfying experience, but Vancouver Island readers of this book should find it particularly rewarding because it deals with observations over a year in the author's home life at Campbell River.

The book is a literate countryman's account of his thoughts and actions as a magistrate, as a father, as a fisherman and hunter, as a writer and as a citizen of Canada, British Columbia, and of "Elkhorn" (the pseudonym used throughout the book for Campbell River.

UNRIVALED

The great clear signs of the changing of the seasons, the migrations of birds and salmon are discussed in crystal prose that the reviewer feels is unrivaled in Canada.

Here is a glimpse at small-town human relations, there is an acute glance at a group of woodpeckers observed in almost the identical pose grouping in which Audubon once painted them.

But the book is no series of random jottings or diary entries. Each section is a unit and the book itself becomes a whole, expressing the author's philosophy (that life is best in the relatively unspoilt country, but that civilization with its blind myth of progress is endangering both the rural normal country life and civilization itself.

If that sounds dull and ponderous it is only because this reviewer is far less skillful a writer than Mr. Haig-Brown. The author is not preaching, but he is presenting a way of life and a philosophy that might be the envy of any Canadian.

RODERICK HAIG-BROWN

HIGH PLACE

This book is written with humor and restraint. The writing is always clear, often beautiful and always masculine. It deserves a high place among his growing list of volumes which includes "A River Never Sleeps," "On the Highest Hill," and "The Western Angler."—W.T.G.

Short Story Collection Achieves Good Balance

"World's Great Short Stories," edited by M. E. Speare (McClelland & Stewart, $1.39)

It is fruitless to quarrel with an anthology of 100 poems, short stories or even books by one author. Such as "the greatest" or "most representative" in literature. Not is it possible to take him to task for exclusion of some authors and inclusion of others into the anthologist's hall of fame.

Dr. Speare expresses the desire to give the reader variety and contrast while avoiding the over-familiar and hackneyed. He has not, in this reviewer's opinion, quite succeeded in accomplishing what is probably the impossible, but this short story anthology (23 selections, each representing a different author) is artistically balanced as any.

American, English, French, Russian, Austrian, Italian and Danish writers are represented, and these include John Steinbeck, "Saki" Guy Lardner, Mark Twa, W. W. Jacobs, Dorothy Parker, Stefan Zweig Elizar Allan Poe and Robert Louis Stevenson. Those not represented include D. H. Lawrence, James Joyce and Erskine Caldwell.—M.D.G.

Express

"American Express A Century of Service," by Aiden Hatch (Doubleday)

Every American who has traveled abroad has probably become acquainted in one way or another with the activities and services of the American Express Company. The story of this great international organization has now been told in a new book by Aiden Hatch.

The first American Expressmen started their activities just a century ago. Carrying money and parcels in their carpet bags, they rode the trains as regular passengers. Over a period of time the delivery of mail became one of their most important functions and we have them to thank for helping to reduce the postal rates on all domestic mail.

As the company expanded, it branched out into the field of international service, and as one portion of this service developed it has been called "the world's number one money"—the familiar American Express Travelers Cheques. Throughout its history the company has played an important role in many of the events which have shaped America. The services it has rendered to American citizens during the country's major wars have been especially notable.

Best Sellers

FICTION

"The Adventurer," by Mike Wallace

"Across the River and Into the Trees," by Ernest Hemingway

"Sons of a Hundred Kings," by Thomas B. Costain.

"The Disenchanted," by Budd Schulberg

"The Cardinal," by Henry Morton Robinson.

NON-FICTION

"Eat-Tha," by Thor Heyerdahl

"Look Younger, Live Longer," by Gaylord Hauser

"Belles on Their Toes," by Frank B. Gilbreth, Jr., and Ernestine Carey Gilbreth.

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Women's Work

By HELEN HALE

PLAN to use cinnamon again soon to make your bread pudding. It gives zest to both the raisins and cinnamon and guarantees better distribution with less mixing.

Baked stuffed potatoes are a nice colorful surprise to serve as a special treat. When mashing the potatoes, add a bit of condensed soup to the mixture with milk, butter and seasonings to give the potatoes a rice "stuff."

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RECIPE OF THE WEEK
Sweet-Sour Spinach
(Serves 4)

1 package fresh frozen spinach
3 strips bacon, cut
½ cup vinegar
½ cup water
½ teaspoon sugar
Salt and pepper
Hard-cooked eggs

Cook spinach with little water until tender. Fry bacon until crisp. Add vinegar, water and sugar. Add salt and pepper to taste. Heat to boiling. Arrange spinach in serving dishes. Pour sauce on spinach. Garnish with chopped hard-cooked eggs.

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If you're one of certain women you are making pen pics and coarsely crushed cornflakes for a good pudding. A bit of almond extract can be added to the cereal. They will stick to the egg as the pectin and give the same effect and good flavor.

Cold boiled potatoes are delicious when fried in bacon drippings. Remove bacon pieces before adding potatoes. When potatoes are cooked break a few eggs among them and stir enough with a fork to break them up. Cook until eggs are done and you have a good main dish.

Fireside Musings

By HELEN T. CARRINGTON

FAMINE

In all ages—in some part of the world—the ugly specter of a famine has reared its cruel, pestilential head. Though occasionally the famine is largely caused by the devastation of areas due to the severity of the elements—war causes a more widespread and distressing shortage—part of which is intensified by the inability of the few remaining lands of plenty to supply the suffering countries beyond a slight alleviation.

This is a sad and shocking experience for the frail, helpless human being to endure and the knowledge that one is an innocent victim is no mitigation.

But there are many ways in which we carelessly or indolently cause ourselves other hunger-pangs. I speak of the unprecedented craving of the Spirit. Here again—war may withhold much from us, while for the preservation and retention of the very things they seem to desire was born been waged and greater freedoms and culture and justice have been wrested from the ruins.

Much, however, can avert the famine of the soul for which I speak up. How many of us ever seek to refresh the Spirit with communing with Nature? There we can obtain nourishment satisfying and lasting. The beauty that starve for affection? Do they give it? There are so many sources of real succor for us. If we will take and cultivate them. Our outlook, our ideas in aspiration, friendship may give courage—music may console.

No heart need endure the rigors of famine in the midst of a merry spiritual food and beauty. If into Hush, we are prepared to glean in the fruitful fields.

New Stylings . . .

—the straight coat with furred details has burst upon us with the curved lines of your figure. Some of the treatments include squared collars that curve as they go over shoulders and loose seams that curve across the back of a coat to form a yoke.

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—the about white evening dress made of row upon row of lace. A novel touch that gives a flower-like look to the bodice is the use of lace ruffles that point upward as they encase the tip of the figure. From the waistline back they point to the floor.

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—the shiny show of gleaming patent leather to point up the contrast of polished leathers with textured surfaces. Newest daytime color is a russet green with gray may mean with any color wool costume.

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—pockets and more pockets—so many that if you fill them all you are apt to look pregnant. They are in groups that range from top to bottom and vary in size from a deep descending to a small pocket level. You'll find them in tailored suits and coats.

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—the short cape with a symmetrical double row of the same set in red wool has a novel closing that is notched halfway down the center and the bottom closing changes its direction at this point from a diagonal to a straight line.

Background for Wall Accessories

By BETTY LENAHAN

SINCE the walls of a room form the background for the furniture, draperies and decorative accessories, the treatment is very important. Drab, neutral wall colors seem in most homes not so many years ago have given way to bright and more harmonious tones which complement the furnishings and show them off to greater advantage.

In addition to the furnishings well selected and well placed wall accessories such as mirrors, pictures, hanging shelves wall brackets, and shadow boxes need good color on the walls to accent their decorative value in a room.

If several pictures with different color schemes are to be hung in the same room, it is best to select a pair every green, or in an off-white or grey, of course will harmonize with almost any painting.

Dark colors such as the popular chocolate brown and russet green will show off some paintings well but the wall color should be keyed so that it will not dominate a painting but enhance it. Some wall colors including pink, pale blue and bright yellow are difficult to use with paintings. The chief color in a painting should always be taken into consideration in choosing a wall color for the room in which it is to be hung. With pride the color of the mat and the frame is important as well as the picture colors.

Variation of wall colors in a room help to create wall interest and provide backgrounds for wall accessories. For example, two walls in a room may be painted pale green. This shade makes an excellent background for flower prints. The flower colors of red, orange, yellow, blue and the white or color of the mat supply contrast. For the other two walls, terra cotta would be a good color, especially if it repeats a color in the prints. On a terra cotta wall pictures may be hung to advantage in which blues, deep reds and other darker tones appear.

LIGHT BLUE-GREEN WALLS make a perfect background for the rather somber gold-framed portrait over the mantel. The curved wall bracket holding a yellow urn and the colorful print matted on terra cotta

Fashion Bits Make Good Holiday Gift

By ANNE YATES CLARKE

This is a happy year to choose gifts for the girls on your list, for the stores are full of smart accessories, and whether the girls are eight or 80 they will enjoy a bit of good fashion. Accessories count for more in the ensemble than they have for some years, and so every woman will be grateful to receive interesting items that fit into her wardrobe scheme.

Take the vogue for scales—they are designed for every time of the day or evening and are worn on every type of costume. Give her a long chain stole if she goes out in the evening wearing bare-top dresses, or give her a colorful wool if her house is not quite warm enough, (be sure you select a color that will be becoming and will go with her clothes.

Gloves—practical or pretty—are always welcome. There are such novelties as fake fur gloves that can be trimmed to hats or caps in turkey skins, in lacoia, weskin and other clever costume additions. In imitation leopard, they will look striking on the very young and smart on her older sister. Long jewelry glace kid evening gloves will be the gift supreme for the girl who is about to bloom into a busy social life. Good soft gloves may be better for other members of the family.

Jewelry offers endless choices. Costume pieces are big and glittering and the fashion for rhinestones has spread so far that little few women have enough of it. Anything in the price line, or a bracelet will be a good gift. She might prefer old-fashioned, or simple metal jewelry for her sports clothes—there are new types in them all.

On the Fashion Beam . .

SHEPHERDESS — Very feminine and attractive were the costumes we associate with the girl who tended sheep but in less romantic are the evening gowns which they inspire today. The bare-top shepherdess gown has an overskirt draped into a cascade of folds that fall to its hemline. At the other side of the ensemble measures just a few inches below the waistline revealing a pretty white embroidered underskirt or petticoat. The bodice and draped overskirt are in lavender. Above the only thing a girl in her shepherdessing days has an trend to is the frog line which is sure to rush her.

Swiss Cotton Tonic for Winter Suit

By MARIAN RAHL

Suits have a new place in the fashion picture, an increasingly important one. Because they are of lighter-weight fabrics and are cut for casual comfort and good looks, they are more popular with many women for general wear than dresses. These fabrics give them a year-round usefulness also, and with them are blouses that know no season. Still topped with many women is the fresh appeal of the white blouse that is washable.

Washable fabrics should form the bulk of a busy blouse wardrobe if it is to be one that does not require expensive upkeep. There is a wide variety from which to select—all the wanted colors, washable rayons and lawns. One of the imported cottons is a fine batiste from Switzerland, made with an unusual silky lustre that takes to delicate lingerie and fine detailed trimmings. It is soft next to the skin under Winter clothes and because it is light in weight it may be laundered quickly. Of course, the blouse that is washable should be selected in fairly simple design as that frosting does not become a time-consuming element. A clean line, if you are lucky enough to own one is wonderful on your Swiss cotton.

Never can the perfect feminine handling's apparent in the newest blouses and fronts are made important so that they will wear very adequately with the suit jacket that would otherwise require a scarf or fill-in of some sort. Lace inset tucks and fagoting are found on many of the shirtwaist types, while others make much of frothy jabots and ruffles. Ball fringe adds its Spanish flavor to dollars and ruff edges too.

EAST SOFT SWISS BATISTE and tiny ball fringe lend delicate airs to this part shirtwaist blouse, an ideal bit of flattery to add to your Winter suit and bespeaks short wardrobe. The little stand-up collar, pointed ruffs and fringe bound are of a heavier corded cotton. It is easily laundered and ready to go anywhere at any time of the year, too.

GRAIN SAMPLING is carried out in the railway yards. Here an official sampler is about to enter a car of grain. He is equipped with a grain sampling device.

THE SAMPLER gets his samples by forcing the rod down into the grain. The metal tubes between compartments which are closed after the sampler have been taken from various depths in the car.

Grading Canada's Grain

ONLY 12,000,000 bushels of Western Canada's 1950 Spring wheat crop will qualify for No. 1 northern grade it has been officially estimated.

How does the Grain Commission arrive at this estimate? By a highly efficient system of grading. Some of the steps in the system are illustrated in these pages. Quality in wheat is based on the fullness of the kernels, their hardness, moisture content, soundness and color. All of these are taken into account in grading which is rigidly controlled by the Canadian Board of Grain Commissioners. The top five grades are defined by statute, written into the law of the land. Each year samples of grain are taken from approximately a quarter of a million cars and the grader must watch for the good and the bad kernels and it is the verdict of the grader that fixes the price to the grower. If the grower is not satisfied he can always ask for a re-grading.

Photos courtesy Canadian National Railways.

THE SAMPLER next transfers his samples to small canvas bags which are tagged with all information concerning the particular car from which the samples are taken.

HERE IS THE grain grader at work. Samples of the nine principal grades are on the trays behind the samples on the table. Modern work from nine to three when daylight provides the best light.

A GROUP of graders at work in the inspection department of the Board of Grain Commissioners at Winnipeg.

THE PROTEIN CONTENT of grain is most important to millers and bakers. The protein content can only be determined in the laboratory. In this picture a technician is testing for protein.

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Amazing Reversal Keeps Cougars Up

Royals Prove Tonic for Short-Handed Islanders; Cougar Good in 4-1 Win—Lung Joins Cripples

HOW THEY STAND

	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pts
New Westminster	14	3	2	76	46	30
Portland	14	3	2	76	46	30
Victoria	11	11	2	80	80	24
Seattle	10	12	2	71	77	22
Vancouver	8	11	3	66	81	19
Seattle	3	11	6	60	88	12

Next games tonight: Vancouver at Portland; New Westminster at Seattle.

Dr. Jekyll — or Mr. Hyde — had nothing on the Victoria Cougars for living a varied life or a double existence.

To the great anguish of general manager Fred Hunt[illegible], they have acquired a habit this season of showing home-town fans the worst side of their play while flashing their best hockey for the benefit of enemy customers.

They did it again last night as New Westminster after alienating a lot of good Victoria hockey fans Friday night, Minus Stan Long, Andy Hebenton and Joe Evans, the Cougars turned in one of their best displays to hand the leading Royals a 4-1 licking.

FOURTH OVER CHAMPS

It was the fourth time seemed we New Westminster ice that the Cougars have defeated the league champions. They also beat a lot in the six games played between the two clubs this season. The win kept the Legionnaires in fourth place and increased their margin to two points over Vancouver Canucks, who made it seven games without defeat by tying Tacoma Rockets, 5-5.

Cougars won it again last night by checking the Royals into the ice with rugged and persistent marking and never allowed the Pratimen to get their fine passing game started. In the last four games between the two clubs, the Royals have only scored four goals, one in each game.

Every man on the short-handed club turned in a great performance with special honors to goalie Jerry Cornish left-winger Ed Mazur and the defence.

CORNIER TURNS TIME

Cornier was superb throughout, particularly in the first period when he made several sensational blocks which strung the game to the Cougar side. Mazur plagued the best goals of the season, scoring the tying and what proved to be the winning goal. The defence came back after its Friday slackness to hold off the desperate Royals.

Royals opened with a rush and Cornier rose to the heights as he stopped Bobby Leiter on the first point-blank range and then held off the Royals after coach Roger Leger and Joe Lepins drew penalties close together.

Jumping to Cornier's work, the Cougars fought right back and were trailing the game at the end. Bernie Grubin finally beat Cornier on a screened shot from a face-off at the seven-minute mark of the second period.

FIX HITS BEST STRIKE

Mazur tied it up less than a minute later, stealing the puck at a face-off circle and surprising Lorne Duchesne with an iced shot that caught the near side.

Cougars went ahead while Denis Hoddleston served a penalty. Leftie Wilson up in Royal attack, fed to Ed Dorchuk, who gave it to Mazur at the centre line. Mazur unchaunded right through by himself from there for the winner.

Mazur started the play early in the third period which led to the fighting. Bob Bailey, a star Westminster attack, and passing to Medynski. The latter hit the fining Bob Frampton with a spot pass into the Royals' zone to be cut before ramming the puck past Duchesne.

Making it doubly sure Reg Abbott scored the fourth Victoria goal with left clubs playing short-handed Leger passed to his youthful centre in the clear.

MEDYNSKI HURT

Medynski suffered a deep skate cut on the cheekbone under the left eye when he collided with Don Slater in the third period. He was taken to hospital for repairs but will be back in action when the club faces the Canucks Tuesday night.

Long pulled a muscle in the second period of Friday's game and was out on crutches by the club doctor. He will miss the next two games but may get back into action next Friday. At the same time, it was announced that Joe Evans may be out for another ten days. However, Hebenton pressing for action, may be allowed to play Friday.

LINE-UPS

Victoria—Cornier, Leger, Stewart; Abbott, Frampton, Wheeler; Bain, Lepins, Mazur; Dorchuk, Grubin, Wilson; Spencer, Bergman, McIlwaney.

New Westminster—Duchesne, Pitch, Bailey; Lee, Leiter, Grant; Slater, Slater, Dutton; Lavelle, Medynski, Hoddleston; Hebenton.

SUMMARY

First Period—Scoring: none. Penalties: Brown (cross-ice), Lavelle.

Second Period—1, New Westminster, Grubin (assist Bain), 7 minutes; 2, Victoria, Mazur (Bergman) 10 minutes.

Penalties: Hoddleston (cross-ice), Bergman (Hoddleston, 10 minutes), Bain (Hoddleston, 11 minutes), Frampton (Medynski, 13 minutes).

Third Period—3, Victoria, Frampton (Medynski, 1 minute); 4, Victoria, Abbott (Leger), 14 minutes.

Penalties: Frampton (Medynski, 2 minutes), Bergman (Medynski, 3 minutes), Medynski (Frampton, 3 minutes), Medynski (Frampton, 15 minutes).

Shots on goal: Victoria 15, Bergman 10, Cornier 10; New Westminster 10, Pitch 15, Bailey 6, Duchesne 10.

Referee: Bob Hindmarch.

Attendance: 5,000.

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Vancouver Rallies For 5-5 Tie

Vancouver Canucks stretched their unbeaten streak under Coach Murph Chamberlain to seven games last night by battling Tacoma Rockets to a 5-5 tie at Tacoma.

Canucks trailed, 5-3, with two minutes left but Chick Milford scored from a scramble to put them within range. Chamberlain then pulled goalie Ken Highton and put six forwards on the attack. The move paid dividends when Milford, who dissé notched the tying goal with 32 seconds left.

LINE-UPS

Vancouver—Highton, Schmidt, Lebrun; Milford, Kenny, Ferguson; Wilson, Ward, Gagnier; Bergman, McIlwaney, Brown; Jackson, Milford, Jones, Deberto.

Tacoma—Bouchard, Ferguson, Hamilton; Brad, Ross, Johnston; Sabo, Sim, Hoyle; Adam, Andrews, Wrenter, Dineen; Boutilier, Lashoff, Hewitt.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, Vancouver, Russel (Highton) 2:57; 2, Tacoma, Johnston (Hewitt) 14:58. Penalty—Benetti.

Second Period—3, Tacoma, Dineen (off) 2:30; 4, Vancouver, Milford (Bergman) 7:30; 5, Vancouver, Ward (Russel) 9:11; 6, Tacoma, Hoyle (Hewitt) 10:40; 7, Tacoma, Boutilier, Gustavson, 19:20. Penalty—Ward.

Third Period—8, Tacoma, Tools (Andrews, Benetti) 2:50; 9, Tacoma, Adam (Tools, Hewitt) 4:50; 10, Vancouver, Jackson (Gagnier, 19:20; 11, Vancouver, Milford (Ginger, Russel) 19:44. Penalties—Johnston, Lashoff.

Total saves: Highton 18, Bouchard 24.

Yacht Club To Stage Big Regatta

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 8 (AP) — Seattle will be the scene of the 1953 Pacific International Yachting Association regatta and will be the first line for the 1951 international cruiser race, it was decided here today.

The Pacific International Yachting Association settled on the Royal Victoria Yacht Club as the 1951 host for that affair.

The cruiser race will start off Burrows Shoal Light, Vancouver, with officials of the Burrard Yacht Club in charge. The finish date of the 150-mile water trek will be July 28. The race will conclude in Shilshole Bay at a point to be designated later by Seattle's Queen City Yacht Club.

The July 28 date was selected to coincide with the Gold Cup and Harmsworth races in Seattle the following week.

Ray Hart of Bremerton announced that the Bremerton-Prince Rupert-Juneau race next year has been tentatively set for June, with the finish at Prince Rupert June 30 and Juneau June 31.

A recommendation that the Northwestern dragon design be the only one permitted for boats was referred after lengthy and heated discussion.

Esquimalt Trips Heaneys To Gain First-Place Tie

BOWL THREE STANDS

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Oak Bay	3	1	0	8	6	6
Esquimalt	3	1	0	7	5	6
Victoria West	3	1	0	6	5	6
Victoria Wanderers	2	2	0	6	6	4
Victoria Shamrocks	1	2	1	5	6	3
Victoria Heaneys	1	3	0	7	10	2
Victoria Rangers	0	3	1	3	6	1

Next games, today: Oak Bay vs. Victoria West, Lower Beacon Hill, 4.15 p.m.

Esquimalt moved into a first-place deadlock with Oak Bay and Britannias in the second-half race of the Victoria and District Football Association by defeating Heaneys, 3-1, at Lower Beacon Hill yesterday afternoon.

The Dockyarders got off to a late start but soon took the initiative to rack up their second victory of the new round. They ran up a 3-0 advantage before Heaneys could reply.

LONG LAYOFF

It was the first game Heaneys have played since November 5. The Carlsgemen were knocked out in the first round of the McKenzie Cup competition and then allowed a scheduled league contest to be postponed so that Oak Bay and Victoria United could meet in an exhibition match in aid of the Injured Players' Fund. The exhibition match was subsequently cancelled.

Despite the extended layoff the Carlsgemen played a creditable game and their only evident weakness was in their shooting. Their goal was scored by Hallback Dave Burt on a hard shot from outside the penalty area.

GOALIES STAR

Bill Henderson played an outstanding game to goal for the losers. Alf Arbidge, who replaced Ed Sandy in the Esquimalt nets for the game, also turned in a good performance.

The game's opening goal was scored by Cordie Dobson who converted a pass from Bill Walker at the 35-minute mark of the first half.

Roy Bloffer, speedy left winger, tallied the Dockyarders' remaining goals, within the first ten minutes of the second half.

MATCH CANCELED

The Britannia-Duncan match, previously scheduled for Royal Athletic Park today, was cancelled last night by Parks Commissioner W. H. Warren. The association's officials attempted to re-schedule the game at another park but found they were all being used. The other games between Alexa and Victoria West is still on and will be played at Lower Beacon Hill at 3:15 p.m.

Line-ups:

Heaneys—Arbidge, Drew, Baker; Sawyer, Young, Jordine; Adam, Wilson; Dorrie, Sage, Sayer; Burt, Bywater, Bloffer.

Esquimalt—Henderson, Dobson; Perry, Bell, Gilbert; Sandy, Evans, Kinney; Walker, Dobson, Bell.

United Youth Movement Showing Results

Battling to avoid cellar finish and to win place in proposed Coast Soccer League playdowns, Victoria United took big step yesterday by defeating New Westminster Royals, 4-1, at Royal Athletic Park to tie losers for fourth spot. Pictured tired, but happy, in dressing room after game are four of more youthful members of club who starred in club's top performance. Left to right are Ken Robinson, Tom Druce and Robb. McGee and Robb were standouts on right side of forward line, McGee scoring twice and Robb being dangerous at all times. Druce returned to centre-forward and scored once and set up one goal while Robbins kept his record of not missing penalty kick by scoring from spot.

Athletics Tie Series With Cleaners In Hectic Hoopla Battle at Alberni

HOW THEY STAND

	W	L	T	Pts
Athletics	1	1	0	2
Cleaners	1	1	0	2

Blades of last season's hectic Island final were in evidence at Alberni last night as Percy Andrews' Athletics edged Victoria individuals, 53-50, in a dramatic finish to the second game of the Vancouver Island Senior "A" Men's Basketball League schedule.

Big Jack Kennedy fired a shot from centre as the final bell sounded and scored to break a 50-50 tie after Individuals had erased two free throws in the last eight seconds.

Elmer Curtis fouled Andrews under the Victoria hoop on the play and the Alberni coach deliberately stood on the free throw line and converted the loss after time was completed to give Athletics their final margin.

LIGHTING PROBLEM

Playing before a packed house of rabid Alberni fans, the teams dished up a thrilling exhibition despite repeated lighting failures. The lights went out after three and a half minutes of play and failures continued at five-minute intervals, necessitating two and a half hours to play the game.

Alberni had a 26-18 lead at the half-time interval. Paced by the uncanny marksmanship of big John-ny Clark who finished his evening's shoots with a total of 26 points, Individuals mounted a powerful second-half offensive to take a 33-32 lead after twenty minutes. The lead then alternated until Individuals took a 43-38 lead late in the game and the Cleaners held a 50-46 margin with two minutes left.

Alberni, fired by Goodie Byrnes and Kennedy, came back to deadlock the count at 50-50 with seconds remaining.

MISSED CHANCES

Bob Hoyes muffed a free throw with eight seconds left and Vince Clarkson missed a gift box with five seconds later to set the stage for Kennedy's game-winning basket.

Curtis was again selected to shadow Andrews and the speedy little forward turned in another great performance. He held Andrews to seven points, including one field goal, and scored six himself.

Elmer Mathews spoiled Clarke for nine minutes in the second half and potted eight points before being sent off with five personals.

FULL SHOTS DECIDE

In the final analysis, the fouls and free shots decided the story of the game. Individuals were charged with 24 fouls and Alberni with 16. The Cleaners converted 9 of 18 gift tosses and Athletics counted on 16 of 27.

Individuals play their fifth game at home next Saturday when they tackle Buchan's Bakery of Seattle in the badminton hall in their home games to date. Cleaners show a win and a loss against Alberni, a game to Seattle Alpines and a victory over Seattle Pedwin.

Line-ups follow

Individuals—Curtis 26, Wright 2, Curtis 2, Clarke, Clarkson 8, Hoyes 2, Turner, Clarke, Hoyes, Turner.

Athletics—Byrnes 10, Clark 26, Kennedy 12, Mathews 8, Andrews 7, Mathews 2, Lafleur 4, Kennedy 2, Mathews, Total 53.

Leafs Drub Bruins, 8-1, To Pad Lossless Streak

HOW THEY STAND

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Toronto	12	1	0	67	44	24
Detroit	11	3	0	61	38	22
Chicago	10	3	1	47	36	21
Montreal	9	4	2	50	35	20
Boston	7	7	0	46	46	14
New York	3	12	0	35	57	6
New Yorkers	1	12	1	30	65	3

Today games, tonight: Montreal at Boston; Detroit at Toronto; New York at Chicago.

The National Hockey League-leading Toronto Maple Leafs turned in their most impressive performance of the season last night as they drubbed Boston Bruins, 8-1, at Toronto to stretch their unbeaten streak to nine games. It was the first loss for Boston in four games.

Decisive triumphs were the order of the night. The runner-up Detroit Red Wings blanked New York Rangers, 5-0, at Detroit and Chicago Black Hawks took sole possession of third place by whipping Montreal Canadiens by a similar count at Montreal.

Ted Kolar, league-leading goal scorer, and linemate Bill Smith paced the Leafs to their win before 13,861 fans with two goals each. Vic Lynn, replaced by the Leafs last month scored the Boston goal after Toronto had taken a 5-0 lead to iron Turk Broda of his sixth shutout.

Referee Bill Knox handed out 11 penalties with Boston's goal and three of Leafs tallies being scored while the opposition was short-handed.

Young Terry Sawchuk marked up his fourth shutout of the season and his second in a row over Chicago Hawks Saturday before a crowd of 11,102.

Canadiens also suffered their second straight shutout although they outshot Chicago, 38 to 26, before a crowd of 14,005. Harry Lumley, in the Black Hawks nets, turned in a brilliant performance to turn aside Montreal's dangerous power plays. His teammates took advantage every opportunity and frequently trapped the Canadiens down the ice.

BOSTON 1, TORONTO 8

Boston—Johnson 7, Quackenbush 10, Quackenbush, Reeiy; Fisher, Leth, Schmidt; Lynn, Smith, Kolar; Ward, Bentley, Wilson; Bennett, Dawson, Ward; Hanna, Hewett, Ferguson.

Toronto—Broda, Ross, Thomson; Bentley, Garrison; Kelly, Watson, Stanley; Smith, Kolar, Lynn; Kennedy, Stewart, Thomson; Thomson, Kelly, Kennedy; Thomson, Smith, Thomson.

Referees—Knox, Toronto, Sinden, Smith, Kilpatrick, Ed. Toronto, Leswick (McCormick, Ehlert), 14 of Penalty—Thomson.

Second Period—Toronto, Kolar (Smith, Lynn), 2:50; 2, Toronto, Smith (Kolar, Lynn) 4:50; 3, Toronto, Kolar (Smith, Lynn), 8:50; 4, Toronto, Lynn (Kolar, Smith), 10:50; 5, Toronto, Smith (Kolar, Lynn), 14:50; 6, Toronto, Smith (Smith, Kennedy, Thomson), 5:30 (4-4); 7, Toronto, Smith (Smith, Kennedy, Thomson), 5:30 (4-4); 8, Toronto, Smith (Smith, Kennedy, Lynn), 14 (Penalty—Kelly (3), Thomson, Jonas, Smith, Kennedy, Thomson).

Third Period—9, Boston, Ward (Hanna, Bennett), 2:50; 10, Toronto, Smith (Smith, Kennedy, Lynn), 4:50; 11, Toronto, Smith (Smith, Kennedy, Thomson), 5:30 (4-4); 12, Toronto, Smith (Smith, Kennedy, Thomson), 5:30 (4-4); 13, Toronto, Smith (Smith, Kennedy, Lynn), 14 (Penalty—Kelly (3), Thomson, Jonas, Smith, Kennedy, Thomson).

Total saves: Broda 18, Sawchuk 24.

NEW YORK 4, DETROIT 5

Detroit—Sawchuk; Kelly, Stanley; Stewart, Kennedy; Lynn, Smith, Kolar; Wilson, Bentley, Ward; Hanna, Hewett, Ferguson.

New York—Rollins; Rolfe, Kelly; Stewart, Kennedy; Lynn, Smith, Kolar; Wilson, Bentley, Ward; Hanna, Hewett, Ferguson.

Referees—Chris Chris, Toronto, Ed. Toronto, Leswick (McCormick, Ehlert), 14 of Penalty—Thomson.

Second period—1, Detroit, Abel (Lindsay, Howe), 2:50; 2, Detroit, Howe (Lindsay, Abel), 4:50; 3, Detroit, Howe (Lindsay, Abel), 8:50; 4, Detroit, Howe (Lindsay, Abel), 10:50; 5, Detroit, Howe (Lindsay, Abel), 14:50; 6, Detroit, Howe (Lindsay, Abel), 5:30 (4-4); 7, Detroit, Howe (Lindsay, Abel), 5:30 (4-4); 8, Detroit, Howe (Lindsay, Abel), 14 (Penalty—Kelly (3), Thomson, Jonas, Smith, Kennedy, Thomson).

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Total saves: Sawchuk 24, Rollins 26.

CHICAGO 5, MONTREAL 2

Chicago—Lumley; Dewsbury, Popiel; Jackson, Gadsby; Ullman, Wilson, Gaudreau; Gerard, Kennedy, Wilson; Wilson, Gaudreau, Gerard; Wilson, Gaudreau, Gerard; Wilson, Gaudreau, Gerard

The Sportlight

—By GRANTLAND RICE—

It has been a number of hunters since a young fellow by the name of Jack Dempsey came out of Utah and Colorado to set the boxing world on fire.

Dempsey was 24 years old when he won the heavyweight championship from Jess Willard at Toledo in 1919—a trifle over 31 years ago.

Dempsey lifted the ring game out of the morass at that time. He saved people of his arrival by knocking out Jess Willard, Fulton, a leading contender, in some 17 seconds. "Fulton was rated one of the best fighters of that time, close to the top. Around six feet four or five, with a deadly left hook. Fred could punch and he could box. But Dempsey, weighing 180, moved in like a western tornado and one punch was enough.

Now another young fighter by the name of Rex Layne comes out of Utah with a good chance to give the ring game a big hit.

The big 200-pound Willard was heavyweight champion when Dempsey arrived. Ezzard Charles, weighing 182 pounds, is champion as young Layne arrives on the scene.

I don't believe Charles could have beaten the Willard of 1919 and I am fairly sure that Layne couldn't have gone more than a round or two with Dempsey of that year. Which proves nothing as far as 1950 vs 1951 is concerned.

Layne is a fine young prospect. He is on the hungry side, as Dempsey was. He is dead game and he can take a punch. He is supposed to be a hard puncher, which he had no chance to prove against the retreating, slippery Joe Walcott two weeks ago.

One point is dead certain. Layne shouldn't be rushed. He isn't ready yet. He needs more hard work—more road work, more conditioning. The one thing that ruin Pittsburgh Pirate pitcher Ralph Kiner in the game itself—high mindedness and greed—the complete lack of intelligence and decency. It took a Tunney and a Dempsey to crash through these barriers. It is almost impossible that Layne may never be another Dempsey. But he could go a long way if given a chance or even half a chance.

It Can Happen

As the football campaign of 1950 reaches the end of the road, barring a few special games, the usual number of odd happenings and strange incidents have taken place. Unexplainable things happen each fall in football, and 1950 has been no exception.

For example, there is Maryland. Jim Tatum's big experienced team goes to Georgia and get whipped, 48-20. Two weeks later Maryland rumbles to Michigan State and smashes that powerful outfit, 34 to 7. It was Michigan State's only defeat. Then S.C. State beats Maryland, 16 to 13. There's crazy form wheel in Dixie.

Then there's the western tangle, headed by UCLA. The Uclans beat Stanford, 21 to 7. California wrecks UCLA, 35 to 0. Then Stanford and California tie U.S.C. gives California an even game and is unlucky to lose. California beats UCLA, 35 to 0. Then the Uclans beat Southern Cal 30 to 0.

In the South Vanderbilt beats Alabama, 27 to 21. Alabama beats Tulane, 26 to 14. Ho Tulane turns around and massacres Vanderbilt 36 to 7.

Columbia whips Cornell. Penn Alabama runs over Columbia, 34 to 9. So Cornell beats Pennsylvania 13 to 6. This is quite enough to prove that you can't take comparative scores in trying to pick winners, or losers. It doesn't work.

The oddest form of the season came on the final day of the big Nine race.

Michigan at that time was well behind Ohio State and Illinois for the Big Nine title. Michigan and Illinois were tied for third and fourth places. Yet Michigan not only won the crown, but won without completing a single first down against the Buckeyes. You can say this is the first time any such thing ever happened in the history of football.

Full Quota of Ice Time Ready For Minor Loops This Week

After two weeks of exhibition the Victoria Minor Hockey Association will have its full quota of ice time this week.

The Vancouver Island Junior League contest between Navy and Victoria Vics, which was cancelled last week by Arena officials while the Arena clock was installed, will be played this Wednesday.

The game, which starts at 8 p.m., is the feature attraction of a three-game card. Two juvenile games will precede the junior contest. Cubs and Capitals will play at 7 p.m. and Bruins and Royals will meet at 6 p.m.

Remainder of week's schedule.

Tuesday—6 p.m. Cubs vs. Bruins; 7 p.m. Navy vs. Vics; 8 p.m. Capitals vs. Royals.

Wednesday—6 p.m. Bruins vs. Royals; 7 p.m. Cubs vs. Capitals; 8 p.m. Navy vs. Vics.

Thursday—6 p.m. Bruins vs. Cubs; 7 p.m. Royals vs. Vics; 8 p.m. Capitals vs. Navy.

Friday—6 p.m. Royals vs. Cubs; 7 p.m. Bruins vs. Capitals; 8 p.m. Vics vs. Navy.

Saturday—6 p.m. Cubs vs. Vics; 7 p.m. Bruins vs. Navy; 8 p.m. Capitals vs. Royals.

Cubs scored three times in the first period to down Capitals, 4-1, in a midget game at Memorial Arena yesterday morning while Royals and Bruins played to a 2-2 draw.

Burrett, Ron Gouid, Price and Jack Harding scored for the Cubs while Gordon Carey tallied the Capitals' singleton. Ken Marrock and Noel Beaton counted for Royals while Dave Edgar and Allan Orr scored for Bruins.

Bruins and Royals both scored twice in the bantam section yesterday. Bruins downed Senators, 4-1, while Royals blanked Capitals, 3-0.

New York Bout For Charles Being Planned

NEW YORK, Dec. 8 (INS)—Heavyweight Boxing Champion Ezzard Charles, whose games have been in quantity what they lack in quality, was drawing today for a January 19 light at Madison Square Garden.

Your possible opponents: Rocky Marciano, Lee Oma, Cesar Brion and Roland La Starza were mentioned by the International Boxing Club to Charles' managers, Jake Mintz and Tom Fannon.

The bout would be Ezzard's first appearance in the Madison Square Garden ring in more than two years. He knocked Joe Baksi there in December, 1948.

Netmen Get Crowd

MONTREAL, Dec. 8 (CP)—Jack Kramer last night defeated Pancho Segura 6-4, 6-1, 6-4, before a crowd of 7,101, largest so far on their cross-country professional tennis tour. Kramer now has an 11-match lead over his opponent. Mrs. Pauline Betz Addie defeated Gussie Moran 6-1 in a one-set match.

CAMBRIDGE RACE WINNER

BOREHAMPTON, England, Dec. 8 (AP)—Cambridge was the unofficial victor today in the annual cross-country race with Oxford, 64 to 66.

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Bob's Boat	7
Horsehoe Nova	6
R. & S. Shoe	6

Hazel Reed—R. Crompton 611, R. Jones 601, C. Hoyle 597, M. Pallendorf 596, Gladys Stewart 596, Ann Hudson 575, Gladys Smith 575, 566, 566—1,565.

Horseshoe Nova—E. Bridger 715, A. Quinn 675, R. Hayes 670, G. Bartley 667, J. Ling 654, Gloria Lonsdale 653, 1,145, 1,139—3,429.

Horseshoe Nova, 2 points. Royal Beds, 0.

Orphans—D. Mowling 610, D. Tuck 606, J. Cross 606, L. Lawson 599, M. Hoyle 572, P. Smith 539, Gloria Lonsdale 1,078, 1,078—3,295.

Bob's Boat—Lonsdale—D. Hudson 639, Gladys Smith 627, Ann Hudson 613, Gladys Stewart 613, Hazel Reed 613, 1,240, 1,240—3,693.

Ladysmith Bakeshop—Ward and Prudente 611, G. Lang, 575, W. Hulme, 561, J. Lawrence, 560, Jean Hulme 1,086, 1,086—3,233.

Shawnigan Lumber—J. MacRae, 701, J. Martin, 681, A. Wickens, 666, W. Christiansen, 672, D. Anderson, 686, Gloria Lonsdale, Gladys Smith 1,186, 1,187—3,559.

Shawnigan Lumber, 3 points, R. & S. Shoe, 1 point.

Swift Premiums—J. Lomas, 618, J. Hayward 602, A. Lomas 598, J. Lomas 598, E. Jones 633, Gloria Lonsdale 1,266, 1,266—3,830.

Stewart & Hudson—D. Thomson 601, J. Smith, 582, G. Lawrence 600, C. Moss 600, Gladys Smith 1,200, Gladys Stewart 1,200, 1,200—3,600.

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Noor Finishes Turf Career; Wins Gold Cup

Noor, brilliant Irish-bred thoroughbred owned by the widow of the late Charles B. Howard, closed out his brilliant turf career yesterday by winning the 1950 $100,000 Hollywood Gold Cup race at Inglewood, Calif., in record time. It was the last time he is being raced in public.

The great stretch-runner, four times conqueror of Citation, came from far in the rear under the strong handling of jockey Johnny Longden to run down Palestinian in the stretch and win by three-quarters of a length. Time for the mile and a quarter distance was 1:58 4-5, a new track record, but 0:1 3-5 off Noor's own world record of 1:56 1-5.

In taking the highest purse of the year—worth $162,100—Noor averaged a four-length defeat by Hill Prince in the Jockey Gold Cup race at Belmont, Hill Prince, which bumped Noor at the start, finished third.

Noor went to the post odds-on favorite and paid only $3.60, $2.90 and $2.20. The other prizes were $14 and $4.80 for Palestinian and $2.60 for Hill Prince.

Ban Television

ATLANTA, Dec. 8 (INS)—The Southeastern Conference barred live telecasts of its football games today.

But officials of the 12 S.E.C. schools at the conclusion of their meeting in Atlanta voted to permit films of the games to be shown on TV screens at noon or later of the day following the day they are played.

Fabulous Madison Square Garden Held Colorful Opening 25 Years Ago

Just 50 years ago, one millionaire sports promoter and one day to build the world's biggest sports palace. Designed as a series related, the first of the millionaire's dreams came true every year and a year succeeding every year until it became the world's most famous sports palace. Now, known to the first generation as the big arena in which Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers danced, it was the Madison Square Garden, built by Jack Dempsey.

By JOHN BARRINGTON

NEW YORK, Dec. 6 (INS)—One New York's dapper mayor, Jimmy Walker, was there and such celebrities as Flo Ziegfeld, George M. Cohan, John McGraw and Col. Jake Ruppert.

So were 17,878 other spectators, lured by sports arenas and revealing the most famous indoor sports palace in the world.

For the main attraction on hit first boxing card that night of December 12, 1925 Richard Paul Berlenbach defending his light heavyweight championship against Jack Delaney.

Contemporary accounts indicate that the bout set a high standard of action for the future light cards that were to point more than $18,000 into the box office coffers.

Delaney, so dazed after the second round that he sat on Berlenbach's stool by mistake, rallied so that the second Madison Square Garden "in the rivals. But Berlenbach came back to win the 15-round decision.

NOT POPULAR

It was not an altogether popular decision, but Delaney had only a few months to wait to gain the title in July, 1926, when he decisioned Berlenbach at Ebbets Field in Brooklyn.

Delaney and Berlenbach were two of the most colorful lighters in the history of the 175-pound class.

Berlenbach, a deaf-mute in his childhood, gained the faculties of speech and hearing when he accidentally swallowed a live wire and was knocked flying. He learned to fight to avenge the taunts of boyhood playmates, then turned to wrestling to win the 1920 Olympic middleweight title.

Five years later, his hailing fans defeated Mike McTigue and gave him the light-heavy boxing crown.

LOST IN CRASH

Outside the ring, he was shy and self-effacing. His ring earnings were estimated at more than a half million dollars, most of which was invested in bonds and subsequently lost in the market crash in '29.

A year earlier, Paul had broken his hand lighting Larry Estridge. He retired from the ring and for a time was a professional wrestler, a sport which he quickly came to detest.

Thereafter came a brief comeback attempt in the ring. Berlenbach was a barbered and night club bouncer and finally a golf driving range.

For the past ten years, Berlenbach has worked in the export department of the Jacob Ruppert Brewing Company in New York. His interest in the ring still is lively, and he is a staunch judge of lighters.

"Paul never lacks for cigars," says a business associate. "He never bets anything else, but he seldom loses when he wagers a cigar on a fight."

Delaney was not an Irishman as his name would indicate, but a French Canadian named Civile Chapdelaine. After a dismal early career, Chapdelaine's contract was purchased by Pete Reilly for $600 and his name was changed to Delaney for luck.

The strategem paid off. After winning the 175-pound title from Berlenbach Delaney kept it until the next year, when he began fighting as a heavyweight and relinquished the title.

His boxing career petered out in 1936, when he retired from the ring to enter business. Delaney died of cancer two years ago.

As for Madison Square Garden, the "new" Garden has been through its share of ups and downs. Rickard designed it for boxing alone—

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Handful Sees Bays Nip Scots In Non-School Rugger Opener

A strong second-half offensive gave J.B.A.A. an 8-6 triumph over Canadian Scottish in the first game of a two-game totals—this English Rugby series for non-school teams at Macdonald Park yesterday. The Caermen will carry the two-points margin into the second game of the season at Windsor Park next Saturday.

Players outnumbered spectators by more than two to one as adverse weather conditions kept the crowd to a minimum. The 13 paid admissions probably set a new record low for attendance at a Victoria sports fixture.

Lack of knowledge of Rugby league rules cost Scots a lot with only five minutes remaining. Bays were awarded a penalty kick for Scottish offside on a five-yard scrum directly in front of the posts. Ian Turner made no mistake with the kick to break a 6-6 deadlock.

HELD EDGE

Scottish held a slight edge in the first half and enjoyed a 3-0 lead at the breather through Lorne Prentice's try. They were too match for Bays in the second half, however, being outplayed in the backline and completely outclassed in the scrums.

Turner sparked the J.B.A.A. drive and personally took charge of all the scoring. He went over after a steady drive from midfield early in the second half to even the count. He repeated shortly after from a five-yard scrum to give Bays a 6-3 lead. Harry Marks touched down for Scots second try after a brilliant end run by Art Hicks to the coffin corner.

Despite the greasy conditions of the ground and ball the sides turned in a creditable performance with sure handling of the ball.

Smokies Trim Clippers, 5-1; Packers Score

BOW VAFY SYSNA

	W	L	T	Pts
Cubs	15	3	0	30
Packers	14	4	0	28
Smokies	12	6	0	24
Tomahawks	10	10	0	20
Kelowna	10	10	0	20
Clippers	4	16	0	8

Kelowna Packers bounced back four successive goals in the third period to down Kamloops Elks, 6-4, in a Mainline-Okanagan Hockey League game at Kamloops last night.

Trail Smoke Eaters trounced Nanaimo Clippers, 6-1, in an interleague contest at Nanaimo last night before a record crowd.

KELOWNA 4, KAMLOOPS 4

First period—Kelowna, Hopkins (Hampton, Erdman), 3:25. 2, Kamloops, Andrews, (Ferguson, Hamilton), 12:40. 3, Kamloops, Ferguson (Andrews, Hamilton), 16:40. 4, Kelowna, Hopkins, 19:16. 5, Kelowna, Erdman (Hopkins, Hampton).

Second period—6, Kelowna, Hampton (Erdman, Hopkins), 1:50. 7, Kamloops, Hamilton (Andrews, Ferguson), 7:30. 8, Kelowna, Hopkins, 19:16. 9, Kelowna, Erdman (Hopkins, Hampton).

Third period—10, Kamloops, Hamilton (Andrews, Ferguson), 1:50. 11, Kamloops, Ferguson (Andrews, Hamilton), 7:30. 12, Kelowna, Hopkins, 19:16. 13, Kelowna, Erdman (Hopkins, Hampton).

TRAIL 6, NANAIMO 1

First period—1, Trail, Chesnuck (Gaudet, Cox), 1:45. 2, Trail, Gaudet (Chesnuck, Cox), 9:40. 3, Trail, Cox (Gaudet, Chesnuck), 17:30.

Second period—4, Trail, Cox (Gaudet, Chesnuck), 1:50. 5, Nanaimo, Harry (Dyrda), 10:10. 6, Trail, Gaudet, 19:40.

Third period—7, Trail, Anderson (Hamilton), 4:17. 8, Trail, Gaudet (Anderson, Hamilton), 10:40. 9, Trail, Anderson (Hamilton, Gaudet), 19:40.

Rainiers Take W.I.L. Player

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8 (UHB)—The San Francisco Seals of the Pacific Coast Baseball League today traded Pitcher Steve Nagy and Infielder Reno Cheso to Seattle for Pitcher Guy Fletcher.

Fletcher, who is 27 years old, won 11 and lost 13 last season and had an earned run mark of 4.38.

Nagy was drafted by the Washington Senators last year and then returned to the Seals where he won five and lost seven.

Cheso, 21, played with Yakima in the Western International League last season and batted .318 in 140 games.

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Shuttle Champions Named

—Courtesy Photo.

Club champions were decided at Victoria Lawn Tennis and Badminton Club last night as week-long badminton tournament drew to conclusion. At top, Karen Jorgensen (left), new women's singles queen shows her racquet to Betty Berrington, her opponent in final. Below, Murray Creighton (left), who successfully defended his men's singles crown, and his opponent, Jim Wells, watch women's match while awaiting court for final.

Tense Badminton Finals See Creighton Hold Title

Murray Creighton, successfully defended his men's singles title and Karen Jorgensen captured the women's crown as the Victoria Lawn Tennis and Badminton Club completed club championships last night with the most closely-contested finals in the history of the club. All open finals except the women's singles went to extra sets.

Creighton outlasted his opponent in last season's final to win, 15-17, 15-16, 15-2. Mrs. Jorgensen, Maritime champion last year, whipped Betty Berrington, 11-2, 11-4, to take the title vacated by Gill Grove-Langton, who is at present in England.

DOUBLES WIN

Stan Bichard, who captured the men's doubles title with Vince Marlin as a partner last year, teamed with Hugh Francis to retain the laurels with a 16-17, 15-6, 18-13 triumph over Norm Lambrick and Stu Reid. Bichard later partnered Helen Dewar to capture the mixed doubles crown by defeating Clara King and Dave Ascott, 15-6, 13-18, 15-3.

The women's double final was the most brilliant, with the finalists teaming up to edge Karen Chalmers and Mrs. King, 15-10, 7-15, 15-10, for the laurels.

Other results follow:

Junior Girls Singles—Barbara Ross defeated Barbara Jennings, 11-1, 11-0.
Junior Girls Doubles—Barbara Ross defeated Joan Redman, 15-12, 15-8.
Women's Handicap Doubles — Miriam Ross and Jean Ross defeated Mrs. Lyn Brown and Charlotte Jack, 15-7, 15-4.
Men's Handicap Doubles—Larry Taylor and Ken Ross defeated Jim Hunt and R. Fulcher, 7-15, 15-12, 15-5.
Mixed Handicap Doubles—Tie in singles at a win each.

Tillicums Seek Cage Opponent; Still Unbeaten

Although only dressing five players, Tillicums romped to a 77-30 triumph over Lake Cowichan in an exhibition intermediate "B" boys' basketball game at Lake Cowichan, Friday night, behind the sharpshooting of Laurie Veitch, Len Anderson and Al Davies.

Veitch paced the scorers with 26 points. Anderson accounted for 20 points and Davies added 16. Bill Hampton, with seven points, and Barry Jackson, with five, completed the scoring. Ted Saunders, Roger Windle and Stan Stevens were unable to make the trip.

Unbeaten in two years of junior and intermediate competition, Tillicums are anxious to secure games against teams capable of giving them a good battle. Any team interested is asked to phone Coach Gar Taylor at G 6418.

Weather Cancels Juvenile Soccer

Rain, washed out all scheduled games in the Lower Island Junior and Juvenile Football Association yesterday afternoon.

The wet weather forced the cancellation of a first division match between Esquimalt Meat Market and Tillicums at Ballin Park today. Association officials announce that the remainder of the games are still to be played.

Another Chance

DON MEADE

Recognized as one of finest jockeys in United States despite 26 violations of racing rules during his career, Meade yesterday was given year's probationary license by Florida State Racing Commission. He was suspended for life by Florida Commission for betting on horses other than ones he rode but life suspension was lifted several years ago. Racing a 30-year-old bed boy in picture above before his suspension by Mexican Racing Association which still stands after five years.

Arsenal Lead Pared to Single Point; Non-League XI's Ousted From Cup Tie

LONDON, Dec 8 (Reuters).—Arsenal, held to a 4-4 draw at home today by always-dangerous Blackpool, retained a narrow grip on English Soccer League leadership.

Middlesbrough, whitled the Gunners' margin to a single point by walloping Charlton Athletic 7-2. Newcastle United held third place, another point behind, by drawing 1-1 with Wolverhampton Wanderers.

Manchester City retained Division II leadership, beating Sheffield United 2-0 but remained only a point ahead of Coventry City which vaulted into second place with a 4-1 victory over Luton Town.

Today's second-round play in the Football Association Cup saw the exist of the last six non-league clubs in the competition. Seventeen Division III teams will advance to meet the "giants" of the first two divisions in the third round.

Five scattered games in Division III affected leadership in neither section.

In Scotland, Dundee stayed atop Division "A" winning 8-1 at East Fife, deadlocked a point behind were Aberdeen and Heart of Midlothian.

Stirling Albion retained its seven-point lead in Division "B" by edging Kilmarnock 1-0. St. Johnstone, Ayr United and Hamilton Academicals were tied for second slot.

LONDON, Dec. 8 (Reuters).—Results of soccer games played today in the United Kingdom:

ENGLISH LEAGUE
FIRST DIVISION
Arsenal 4, Blackpool 4
Charlton Athletic 2, Middlesbro 8
Fulham 2, Preston 2
Everton 1, Derby County 0
Manchester City 2, Manchester United 1
Middlesbrough 7, Charlton Athletic 2
Sunderland 1, Liverpool 1, Wolverhampton Wanderers 1
Portsmouth 1, Liverpool 3
Tottenham, Wednesday 1, Tottenham Hotspur 1
Stoke City 3, Aston Villa 1
West Bromwich Albion 3, Sunderland 1
SECOND DIVISION
Birmingham City 1, West Ham United 1
Barry 2, Brentford 1
Chesterfield 2, Leeds United 3
Chesterfield 2, Southampton 2
Coventry City 4, Luton Town 1
Hull City 1, Sheffield Wednesday 2
Leicester City 1, Swansea 2
Manchester City 2, Sheffield United 0
Nottingham Forest 1, Bury 1
Preston North End 2, Doncaster Rovers 1
Queens Park Rangers 2, Blackburn Rovers 1
THIRD DIVISION (Southern)
Bristol Rovers 2, Gillingham 1
Walsall 1, Colchester United 1
Watford 1, Crystal Palace 0
THIRD DIVISION (Northern)
Barrow 2, Southport 1
Scunthorpe United 2, Chester 0
Stockport County 2, Rochdale 1
FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION CUP
SECOND ROUND
Attendant 3, Squirrendo 0
Ashington 3, Bishopbriggs 1
Brighton and Hove Albion 2, Ipswich Town 2
Bristol City 2, Wrexham
Chelmsford City 1, Southampton 3
Chesterfield City 2, Hartlepool Town 1
Crewe Alexandra 5, Falmouth Argyle 3
Darlington 1, Bradford Park Avenue 1
Harlesden United 1, Gillingham Athletic 2
Hereford United 0, Newport County 3
Hull City 1, Bradford 1
Port Vale 4, Exeter 1
Reading 4, Hertford City 0
Rotherham United 2, Nottingham Forest 1
Rhyl 2, Norwich City 1
Southport 1, Barrow United 3
York City 3, Tranmere Rovers 1.
SCOTTISH LEAGUE
DIVISION "A"
Aberdeen 4, Motherwell 1
Airdrieonians 1, Partick Thistle 4
Hibs 1, Raith Rovers 0
Hearts 1, Celtic 1
Kilmarnock 1, Rangers 1
Queen of South 1, Dundee 1
Stirling Albion 1, Hamilton Academicals 1
St. Mirren 2, Falkirk 1
Dundee 8, East Fife 1
Morton 4, Falkirk 1
Partick Thistle 2, Hibs 1
St. Johnstone 1, Celtic 0
Ayr 1, Rangers 1
Third Lanark 1, Hamilton Academicals 1
Aberdeen 4, Motherwell 1
Airdrieonians 4, Raith Rovers 1
Hearts 3, Queen of South 0
Kilmarnock 4, Falkirk 1
Queen of South 2, Partick Thistle 1
Dundee 8, Third Lanark 1
Morton 1, Celtic 1
Hamilton Academicals 3, St. Johnstone 0
Motherwell 4, Dunfermline Athletic 1
Stirling Albion 1, Kilmarnock 0
IRISH LEAGUE
Ards 1, Distillery 2
Bangor 1, Glentoran 3, Portadown 3
Coleraine 1, Crusaders 1
Cliftonville 3, Derry City 3
Linfield 2, Ballymena 1
Glenavon 2, Larne 1
OTHER MATCH
Oxford University 0, Cambridge University 4

Spectators Boo Knockout Of Van Dam by Robinson

BRUSSELS, Dec. 8 (AP).—Ray (Sugar) Robinson, world welterweight champion, knocked out Lou Van Dam of Holland in the fourth round tonight but he left the ring with virtually all 15,000 spectators on their feet booing his victory.

The Dutch middleweight champion, who outweighed Robinson by a single pound, was holding his own until late in the third round when the American uncorked what appeared to be a low blow. Van Dam, who scaled 157½, went down but was saved by the bell.

He was carried to his corner came out for the fourth round and was flattened, this time by a left cross to the head. The end came at one minute of the fourth round.

VAN DAM SURPRISES

Until the questionable blow in the third the Dutchman was a distinct surprise. In the first he scored frequently with lefts to Robinson's nose. He continued his success in the second and Robinson was warned by referee Gustave de Baecker of Belgium, for his ring tactics.

It was not until the third that Van Dam unlimbered his right. He was doing well with it until Robinson dropped him with the blow to the stomach.

Robinson said in the dressing room "I hit him in the stomach above the belt." He demonstrated with the help of his manager, George Gainford.

He added: "Van Dam is the best fighter I fought so far. He is smart."

Van Dam asserted, however, "I am positive it was a low blow."

Mrs. Van Dam, who manages her husband, said they will file a complaint before the Belgian Boxing Federation and then "we shall ask Robinson to come to Holland to meet my husband there."

Dr. F. J. Thoolen, summoned by Mrs. Van Dam, said "I have found evidence of a low blow is, indeed, was a very low blow."

Name Winners Of Seven Grid Trophies

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 (INS).—The Touchdown Club announced today that Vito Parilli, University of Kentucky quarterback, will receive the Walter Camp Memorial Trophy honoring the outstanding college back of 1950.

Parilli is one of seven collegiate and professional football players and coaches who will be awarded trophies at the 18th annual Touchdown Club dinner January 6 in Washington.

Others are: Lewis "Bud" McFadin, University of Texas, Knute Rockne Memorial Trophy for the leading college lineman, and Bob Ward, University of Maryland quarterback. Lieut. Robert Smith Memorial Trophy for the top player in the Washington area.

Touchdown Club trophies will be awarded to Charles "Bud" Wilkinson, Oklahoma, No. 1 college coach; Bob Zaiarov, Navy quarterback, outstanding 1950 individual performance; Bob Waterfield, Los Angeles Rams' quarterback, top professional player, and Steve Owen, New York Giants, best professional coach.

Finals Reached In Miami Meet

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 8 (AP).—Pete Cooper and Claude Harmon face Jim Turnesa and Dave Douglas tomorrow in the finals of the $10,000 Miami International Four-Ball golf tournament.

Douglas and Turnesa were forced to come from behind to upset defending champion Cary Middleoff and Ed (Porky) Oliver, one up.

The amazing combination of Cooper and Harmon eliminated Bob Toski and Tony Penna, 3 and 1.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9 (INS). — Wes Fesler, Ohio State University football coach, announced tonight that he had resigned his coaching position, effective March 15.

O.C. Soccer Standings

LONDON, Dec. 8 (AP).—Standings in United Kingdom soccer leagues (first five teams):

ENGLISH LEAGUE
FIRST DIVISION

	W	T	L	Pts.
Arsenal	13	6	3	32
Wolverhampton	9	6	2	24
Newcastle United	11	2	4	24
Manchester United	10	3	4	23
Middlesbrough United	10	3	4	23

SECOND DIVISION

Manchester City	11	6	3	28
Coventry City	12	4	4	27
Sheffield Rovers	10	7	3	27
Barnsley	10	6	4	26
Southampton	10	6	3	25

Third Division, Northern and Southern, standings withheld because majority of teams have played more than Scottish games.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE
DIVISION "A"

Dundee	6	3	3	15
Hearts	6	3	3	15
Queen of Southsiders	6	3	3	15
Celtic	6	3	3	15
Rangers	6	3	3	15

DIVISION "B"

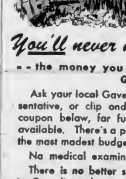
Stirling Albion	12	9	0	36
St. Johnstone	9	5	2	17
Ayr United	9	5	2	17
Hamilton Academicals	9	5	2	17
Dunfermline United	7	3	2	10

New Rearguard Joins Canucks

VANCOUVER, Dec. 8 (CP).—Kevin (Cowboy) Coyne, 26-year-old defenceman with Charlottetown Islanders of the Maritime Senior Hockey League, is scheduled to join Vancouver Canucks of the Pacific Coast League Sunday, Coach Murph Chamberlain said today.

"He'll really shore the fans something," Chamberlain raved. "And he should. He cost $3,500."

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 8 (AP).—An improving University of Washington basketball team spanked Nebraska tonight for the second time, 71-53, before a crowd of 8,500. The halftime score was 32-26 for Washington.



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New Swim Record
NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J., Dec. 8 (AP).—Bob Nugent of Brooklyn, Rutgers junior swimming star, bettered the National A.A.U. 50-metre free-style record last night at a university exhibition. He went the distance in 24.8 seconds to cut down the 25.2 mark set in 1948 by Keith Carter of Perdue.

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College Grid Stars Run To Let Cripples Walk

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (INS)—There is a lad in the United States Marines today named Dick Batton. Used to be a star on the Los Palos, Calif., High School football team.

We would like you to know about Dick because if you had seen him only a few years ago you would have laid 100 to 1 against his chances of ever playing much less of being physically able to join the Marines.

For at that time Dick was just a skinny little guy with club feet in the Shriners's Hospital for Crippled Children in San Francisco.

But the surgeons there went to work on Dick and eventually he was able not only to walk like other kids but to run and tackle and take his place in the world like any other normal American kid.

And Dick—and more than 100,000 other kids like him—was able to do that because more than a quarter century ago a little guy with a heart as big as one of San Francisco's hills had an idea.

The little guy was—and is—Bill Coffman, who thought it would be a wonderful thing to stage and East-West all-star game with the proceeds going 100 per cent to charity.

Bill also thought there was no charity that would touch the heart more quickly or more surely than doing something for crippled children.

For such a cause, how could he miss? He couldn't, of course, and so the Shriners' East-West bowl game was born.

The response was simply terrific and today more than 100,000 crippled youngsters will never forget Bill Coffman nor the hundreds of college men who gave up their Christmas vacations so that they could run to let crippled kids walk.

Today not one but 16 Shriner hospitals are able to do things for the crippled youngsters and a 17th hospital is under way.

More than $1,600,000 has poured into the hospitals from the 25 East-West games already staged. But this is mere chicken feed compared with the $25,000,000 which has gone to the hospitals from men and women who have remembered the crippled children in their wills or who have given freely while they were still alive.

COMPLETE SELL-OUT

The game, as usual, will be held this year in Kezar Stadium in San Francisco and just in case you may have the mistaken notion that this is merely a plug, let us hasten to assure you that the game, scheduled for December 30, was a complete sell-out last September.

The game was actually oversubscribed by many thousands, and Coffman is now wondering how he can abandon 150,000 who want to see the game into a stadium holding only 62,000.

Last year Bill was able to turn $120,000 over to the hospitals but this time he expects to give at least $150,000, for he has raised the price to an even $5 for every seat in the stadium.

Some of the greatest players the game ever knew counted it an honor and a pleasure to play in the East-West game and this year will be no exception.

Kennedy Gains On Teammate In N.H.L. Race

Toronto's Ted Kennedy figures to four goals during last night's game and took over sole possession of the runner-up spot in the individual scoring race. Kennedy is now only two points behind teammate Max Bentley.

Another Toronto player, Tod Sloan is also pushing the leaders for the scoring honors. He is only one point behind Kennedy. Tod picked up two goals and an assist last night. He now has scored 16 markers while his nearest competitor, Sid Smith, has only tallied 13.

	G	A	Pts
M. Bentley, Toronto	8	21	29
T. Kennedy, Toronto	13	14	27
Sloan, Toronto	16	10	26
S. Smith, Toronto	13	12	25
B. Geoffrion, Montreal	11	13	24
R. Richard, Montreal	13	10	23
B. Hewitson, Chicago	9	14	23
Gardner, Toronto	11	11	22
Howe, Detroit	9	8	17
Lindsay, Montreal	9	8	17
Curry, Montreal	7	9	16

Hockey Scores

N.H.L.

Toronto 4, Boston 1
Chicago 1, Montreal 6
Detroit 3, New York 3

P.C.H.L.

Victoria 4, New Westminster 1
Vancouver 3, Tacoma 3

MAPLE LEAF OKANAGAN

Kelowna 6, Kamloops 3

INTERMEDIATE

Nanaimo 1, Trail 8

W.H.L.

Spokane 3, Saskatoon 6

A.H.L.

Pittsburgh 3, Springfield 4
Cleveland 4, Hershey 1
Indianapolis 4, Providence 5

CAPE BRETON SENIOR

North Sydney 2, Glace Bay 9

MARITIME SENIOR

Moncton 4, St. John 1
Charlottetown 4, Halifax 3

EASTERN CANADA SENIOR

Perth Bay 8, Bell 3

QUEBEC SENIOR

Ottawa 2, Quebec 1

ONTARIO JUNIOR

Windsor 8, Stratford 1
Toronto 4, Oshawa 3
Cobourg 5, Barrie 2

ONTARIO SENIOR

St. Michael's 6, Bracebridge Salmons 1

WESTERN CANADA SENIOR

Bridgeport 7, Nanaimo 3

WESTERN CANADA JUNIOR

Lethbridge 4, Calgary 1

TRUNDLE BAY JUNIOR

Port Arthur 4, Port William 7

SASKATCHEWAN JUNIOR

Saskatoon 7, Regina 4

E.H.L.

Omaha 4, Kansas City 1
St. Paul 3, Minneapolis 1

PRESIDENTIAL CUP GAME

COLLEGE PARK, Md., Dec. 9 (INS)—Texas A & M. Fullback Bob Smith ran the opening kickoff from his own goal line to pay dirt and scored again on an 81-yard dash today as the Aggies crushed the University of Georgia 40 to 20 in the first Presidential Cup game.

NOTICE TO SAANICH ELECTORS

An election meeting will be held at the Auditorium, Mount View High School, Carey Road, on Thursday, December 14th, 1950, at 8 p.m.

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The Sport Grill

by PAT ROBINSON

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (INS)—The other day we ran across one of the saddest of all sights—a punch-drunk fighter.

He was shuffling along in that peculiar gait known to the fight game as "walking on the beck." He had a dull glazed look in his eye and when he spoke he sounded as if he had two tongues in his mouth.

We remembered him well. At his best he was never more than a good club fighter. He was a rough crowd pleaser always willing to take a dozen punches for a chance to land one. And, of course, he was dead game.

He had plenty of work especially when he began to slip and crafty managers with young fighters waited to build them up at the expense of the has-been.

BROKE NOW

He never made much more than a bare livelihood out of all his fights and so today he is broke incapable of holding a job, and dependent on handouts.

Looking back on his record, we realized that he rarely suffered a knockout and indeed, was seldom knocked down.

Why, then, is he punch-drunk? We put the question to Lew Burton, who has handled thousands of pugs in the last 40 years, who new imports all those foreign fighters for the International Boxing Club, and is as smart an individual as we ever run across in the fight racket.

TOO RUGGED

"That's easy to answer," said Lew. "The guy was too rugged and game for his own good and he took too many punches around the head.

"A quick knockout rarely does a fighter much harm. He is out for a few seconds and that's all there is to it. Of course, anybody who suffered a series of knockouts and after the other would wind up goofy.

"But you will find that it is the so-called iron man of the ring—the fellow who can take a million punches around the head without hitting the canvas—who is in the gravest danger.

"That is why fellows like Jack Dempsey and Joe Louis who could and did knock out an opponent with a punch or two never ruined half the permanent damage that fighters like Gene Tunney and Ezard Charles did.

PUNCHES HURT

"Tunney was never a knockout artist. He was very clever and he was content to win by decision but don't think for a minute that his punches did not hurt. Ask Jack Dempsey.

"It is that steady accumulation of punches to the head that makes a man wind up punch drunk rather than an occasional knockout.

"And that's why if I were a fighter I would rather tackle a Louis or Dempsey than a Tunney."

COLLEGES STILL PLAYING

AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 9 (INS)—The Texas Longhorns warmed up for their Cotton Bowl date today by toppling Louisiana State, 21 to 6, in an intersectional game at Austin's Memorial Stadium.

TENDERS FOR
PUSHBOAT AND PONTOONS

SEALED tenders, addressed to the undersigned, for the erection and delivery of one Pushboat and two Pontoons with power and two steel pontoons to be delivered F.O.B. Prince Rupert, British Columbia, or Tofino, British Columbia, which vessels related alongside plans and specifications are received complete and in good order not later than one week after closing date of tendering, otherwise the deposit will be forfeit.

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Leading Flyers Trim Caps, 7-2 To Extend Lead

HOW THEY STAND

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Edmonton	10	1	1	66	44	21
Regina	8	3	1	61	51	17
Saskatoon	6	5	1	57	61	13
Calgary	3	10	1	48	54	7

EDMONTON, Dec. 9 (CP)—The league-leading Edmonton Flyers spoiled Regina a two-goal lead in the opening period and then rammed home seven unanswered tallies to whip the past-place Capitals, 7-2, in a Western Canada Senior Hockey League game tonight.

First Period: 1 Regina, Pogue (Hardy) 2 Regina, Hardy (Pogue) 3 Edmonton, Wyatt (Kilgore) 4 Edmonton, Pelletier (Wilson).

Second Period: 5 Edmonton, Smith (Pelletier) 6 Edmonton, Pelletier (Wilson) 7 Edmonton, Bouchard (Cook) 8 Edmonton, Bouchard (Boulter) 9 Edmonton, Cook (Wyatt, Anderson).

Third Period: 10 Edmonton, Anderson (Wyatt, Cook) 11 Edmonton, Wyatt (Smith, Barry) Penalty Shots: 0 Edmonton, Pringle (Anderson) 12 Penalties—Kilburn, Pogue.

Hard-Hitting Bosox Dominate Batting Statistics

By HOWARD SEGMAND

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (INS)—The Boston Red Sox, baseball's hitting-est team despite its dearth of pennants, ran off with everything in sight in American League batting prizes for 1950.

Led by one-man-team Billy Goodman, who captured the league batting crown with a mark of .354, the Bosox won virtually all plate honors but came away from the hotly pennant-hungry again.

NEAR CLEAN SWEEP

The Red Sox were on top in team batting, runs-batted-in, runs scored, total bases, stolen bases and triples.

Official statistics gave Goodman the A.L. crown over last year's champion, George Kell of the Detroit Tigers. Kell ended up with a .340 average.

Goodman, who played everywhere in the field during the season, appeared in 119 games and wound up with a total of 150 hits in 424 trips to the plate. He scored 91 runs, belted 35 doubles, three triples and four homers.

Walt Dropo and Vern Stephens shared runs-batted-in laurels, each finishing with 144. Dom DiMaggio led in runs scored with 131 and in stolen bases with 15. Dropo was the total base king with 338.

DiMaggio also tilted into the three-base picture. The little professor led teammate Bobby Doerr and Detroit's Hoot Evers in this department, each getting 11.

Cleveland's rookie Al Rosen captured the home run honors with 27, Kell had a fine year. Despite the fact that he yielded the batting title to Goodman. The Tiger third sacker was ahead of the league in most at bats (641) total hits (218), and two-base hits (46).

WILLIAMS SLIPS

Ted Williams, who lost out by a whisker to Kell the year before was way off the pace this time. The Boston thumper, sidelined by the elbow injury he sustained in the All-Star game, appeared in 89 games, batted .317 and drove in 97 runs. Ted got 106 hits in 334 times at bat. He had 28 homers.

Phil Rizzuto, the league's most valuable player and baseball's highest salaried shortstop, led in sacrifices with 18. The Yankee scooter and Kell were the only two players to get more than 200 hits.

The Rizzuto had a .324 batting average. The Bosox had a team average of .302, twenty points ahead of the world champion Yankees and Detroit Tigers, who finished second to the Bombers.

11 OVER .300

Eleven players in the league batted .300 or better. Five Red Sox made the circle and four Yankees were in the class.

Goodman, Dom DiMaggio, Johnny Pesky, Al Zarilla and Dropo carried the Boston banner while Rizzuto, DiMaggio, Yogi Berra and Hank Bauer represented the Yankees.

The league homer total of 973 was 90 more than the previous record of 883 set in 1949 and 204 more than the total hit in 1940.

Dodgers Answer Plea From Minors

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Dec. 9 (CP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers announced today that they will disband their special baseball "network" which in 1948 broadcast games to cities outside the metropolitan New York area.

The Dodgers were the first team to act upon the minor leagues plea that the major clubs act individually to curb broadcasts into minor league territory. Such broadcasts were blamed partially for losses of $5,000,000 by the smaller clubs last season.

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1 BIRTHS

BEXRUD—Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. Bexrud, (Pat) Diversion Drive, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Monday, December 4, a son, Donald Gordon.

BESTERMAN — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Theron G. Besterman, 756 Parkside Road, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on December 5, 1950, a daughter.

JONES—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jones (née Martin), Saturday, Dec. 2, 1950, Royal Jubilee Hospital, a daughter.

LEVERETT—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Leverett, 1150 Fairfield Road, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Monday, December 4, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, a son, Lance William.

PRICE—Born on December 4th to Mr. and Mrs. George E. Price, of Jordan River, a daughter, at Royal Jubilee Hospital.

RICHARDS—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Owen Richards (née Doris Bendall), on December 7, 1950, at Smithmond Hospital, Duncan, a son.

2 MARRIAGES

BROWN-HUME — Mr. and Mrs. Brown-Hume, 1371 Rear Avenue, announce the marriage of their youngest daughter, Mary Ann, to Mr. Ronald Hume, son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy J. Hume, 1142 Beach Dr., which took place December 2, 1950, at the home of the groom's parents, 1870 Lansdowne, with Rev. L. V. Mellanby officiating.

KERR-LAWSON—At St. John's Church, December 6, 1950, at 2 p.m., Rev. Canon George Biddle officiated at the marriage of Miss Ann Lawson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lawson, 10 Lamont Place, River, B.C., to Jackie Kerr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kerr, 1 Lamont Place, River, B.C.

MACDONALD-MARTIN—Mr. and Mrs. J. Macdonald, of Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, wish to announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary, to Mr. Alastair Macdonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Macdonald, of Victoria, which took place in marriage, yesterday, at Christ Church, at 2 p.m. on Saturday afternoon, December 9th, 1950.

MORTIMER-MITCHELL — The marriage of Sgt. Frank Mortimer, Victoria, detachment, RCAF, Rockcliffe, Ottawa, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mortimer, Victoria, to Charmaine Mabel Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mitchell, Victoria, took place Dec. 1, 1950, at 4 p.m., with Archdeacon Gerald Clayton, with Rev. A. F. Shoemaker officiating.

SHELDRICK-BEATTIE—The marriage of Evelyn Grace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Beattie, 1412 Devon Avenue, to Ronald Sheldrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sheldrick, 1 Devon Place, Victoria, was solemnized by Rev. G. R. Baxter at First Baptist Church, December 30, 1950.

YOUNG-MURPHY—Mr. A. D. Young, of Victoria, B.C., announces the marriage of his daughter, Mary Ann Murphy, to Mr. William Reginald McMurphy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald McMurphy, Victoria, B.C., at the home of the groom's father, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald McMurphy, Victoria, B.C., on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 2, 1950.

3 DEATHS

BARRINGTON—On December 8, 1950, Thomas Edwin Barrington, 1011 Lincoln Road, passing away in the Royal Jubilee Hospital, in his 84th year. Dear father of Mrs. Ethel Gibbs (Victoria), and nearly years before coming to Victoria, he was prominent in the business life of Nelson, B.C., in the lumber and mining industry. B.C. Barrington was a member of Ancient Landmark Lodge, No. 1, A.F. and A.M., and the Scottish Rite.

Funeral Service will be conducted by Rev. Dr. W. W. McPherson, of Metchosin, Thursday, December 11, 1950, at 2 p.m. in Chapel of Mt. Pleasant Funeral Home, of Better Oak Cemetery.

GROAT—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on December 6, 1950, Mrs. Sylvia M. Groat, 1450 Fairfield Road, in her 78th year. Beloved wife of the late Thomas Groat, of Victoria, B.C.

Funeral Service will be held in St. John's Church, on Monday, December 11, 1950, at 1 p.m. Rev. Canon F. Pike officiating. Interment at Victoria, B.C., Pioneer Section, Ross Bay Cemetery. Mr. Pioneer Col. Ltd. directors.

GLENN—On December 4, 1950, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, William Glenn, 2nd, of Penticton, formerly of Victoria, B.C., beloved husband of Victoria for the past 20 years, of Mrs. Ethel Glenn, of Victoria, B.C., Mrs. Gladys Bagnall, of Victoria, Street, two grandchildren. Mrs. Gladys Bagnall, of Victoria, B.C., Clark was a member of the Sons of England.

Funeral Service will be held in McNeill Funeral Home, Penticton, on Tuesday afternoon, December 12, 1950, at 2 p.m. Rev. Dr. C. A. Harper officiating. Interment in Elmwood Burial Park.

REYNOLDS—Passed away at the St. Joseph's Hospital, on December 6, 1950, Mr. Thomas Reynolds, aged 78 years, born in Ireland, and a resident of Victoria for the past 40 years, last residence 1150 Fairfield Road. Survived by his son, Thomas Reynolds, of Victoria, B.C., Mrs. Mary Reynolds, Victoria, B.C., Mrs. Annie Reynolds, of Victoria, B.C., Mrs. Mary Reynolds, of

Complete Radio Programs for Monday

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OAK BAY CLOSE TO SEA

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Brand new, stucco, modern four-bedroom, furnace room, hot-water heat, large lot, garage, fenced garden! All for much more than Trevalyn alone. Price, $9,000 Price, $10,500

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Are you looking for a home and a little extra time for a lovely new modern duplex? Well, here it is. Two bedrooms, living-room, dining-room, kitchen, tile bathroom, hardwood floors, basement, garage. Lot 50 x 150. Terms arranged. Price $15,000

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OAK BAY

Attractive stucco bungalow with 2 bedrooms, living-room, dining-room, kitchen, tile bath. Hot-water heating (Mercury) wired. Price $9850

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Very good British Colonial cottage. Four rooms, hardwood floors throughout, combining comfort to be another. Well-built garage. Lot 50 x 150. Well-landscaped grounds. Fine view. Price $18,000

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Modern, fully insulated, stucco bungalow, living-room, dining-room, 2 bedrooms, kitchen, tile bath, hardwood floors throughout, full basement, hot-water heating, garage. Lot 50 x 150. Terms. Price $10,500

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Revenue, revenue, revenue and time, money and time. Two-room suite, furnished, rent, $35 per month. Two-room suite, unfurnished, rent, $25 per month. Two-room suite, furnished, rent, $25 per month. Price $9300

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Free to the person who gives us the highest offer for this 4-room stucco bungalow, living-room, dining-room, kitchen, tile bath, hardwood floors throughout, full basement, hot-water heating, garage. Lot 50 x 150. Terms. Price $9500

HANDYMAN'S SPECIAL

Small bungalow, living-room, bedroom, kitchen, tile bath. Hot-water heater. Lot 50 x 150. Terms. Price $4000

HIGH QUADRA

This 5-room bungalow, with 2 bedrooms, living-room, dining-room, kitchen, tile bath, hardwood floors throughout, full basement, hot-water heating, garage. Lot 50 x 150. Terms. Price $12,600

NEW—OAK BAY

New 1 bedroom bungalow in Oak Bay. Living-room, dining-room, kitchen, tile bath, hardwood floors throughout, full basement, hot-water heating, garage. Lot 50 x 150. Terms. Price $13,000

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A DREAM HOME

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IMMACULATE CONDITION

Big living-room, dining-room, kitchen, tile bath, hardwood floors throughout. Basement, Expansive view. Price $4000

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Full size home with all conveniences. Hardwood floors throughout. Full basement. Price $7500

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REVENUE
15 ROOMS
$16,600 FULL PRICE

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Eve Noah M Sommers Eves., E 8045

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DE LUXE SIX ROOMS ON
ONE FLOOR
$2500 DOWN PAYMENT

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$6700 Super Bungalow
$9950 Hardwood Floors

Attractive and well-built, 5-room bungalow, living-room, dining-room, 2 bedrooms, tile bath, hardwood floors throughout, full basement, hot-water heating, garage. Lot 50 x 150. Terms. Price $9950

QUADRA
$7900 Semi-Bungalow

Well-built, 5-room bungalow. Big living-room, dining-room, 2 bedrooms, tile bath, hardwood floors throughout, full basement, hot-water heating, garage. Lot 50 x 150. Terms. Price $7900

GORGE
HIGH CHOICE LOCATION
$9450—Very smart stucco bungalow

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To this new four-room bungalow which is in good condition. Large living-room with fireplace, cream enamel kitchen, two large bedrooms and a modern bathroom. On bus at corn. Fairfield. Street, Fairfield area.

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You can collect money for living in this well constructed stucco house which consists of two roomy and a dining room through hall, with Douglas Fir floors, and a modern kitchen with conveniences to each room. Insulated. Lot. There is a garage. Price $6750. Terms can be arranged. Also There is a two-bedroom, well-built bungalow. The kitchen is wired for range and there is a full cement basement. Large lot. Close to all the conveniences. Only $6000. Full price.

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From the living-room or kitchen of this new and modified bungalow overlooking the Gorge. Three bedrooms, one with half arch of hand glass you always admire rooms and will have you accepted. Fireplace in living-room, Douglas Fir floors, cream and ivory kitchen, modern bath, electric hot water. Adjoining utility room, range stove. Southern lot, basement with furnace and with a hobby. Adjoining garage. Low taxes. Terms can City Hall.

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$10,500 Full Price

Balance at 4½%, payable $60 monthly, including interest.

OAK BAY

A HOME WITH CHARACTER

$10,500 — $2,000 — Balance $80 Monthly. Immediate possession. Built ROC WATER radiant heated, two bedrooms, family room. Dining-living-room, kitchen, bathroom, full cement basement, hot and cold water, concrete drive-way, (Marigold and full dining-room. Multi-room. Family kitchen. Three large bedrooms (modern) fireplace garage (at rear) Lot 50x120. Close to Oak Bay Junior High. Close to Oak Bay Junior High.

On above premises call Mr. Thornthwaite, Monday and Eve. Albert Head.

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And balance on easy monthly payments is a reliable party. Two (one adjoining) family home on Belmont Street, close to Fairfield Road. Rents for $35 per month. Has many possibilities, either for a family family or rooming-house business. Price $6850. Terms $1500 cash. Immediate possession. Exclusive

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Compact, neat and well-built sports bungalow of 2 rooms and good bathroom. Entertainment garden with good heating. Hot and cold water. Fruit trees. Garage. Low price. Good value.

$8900

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Well-built bungalow, two-storey, with "Ideal" heating system. Hot water. Fine area in best condition. Price $8950 appreciated

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Terms

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$5200

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HIGH QUADRA

Four-room dining bungalow, only four years old. Large lot. Close to

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Five-room modern bungalow with 14 W. Oil-O-Matic heating, Douglas Fir floors, Venetian blinds, Lot 50x120. Close to bus. Three Beds. This is a beauty, well-built, well-priced.

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YOUR OWN HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

This five-room house has many desirable features. Large dining-living-room, cream and ivory kitchen, full cement basement, furnace, hot water heating, two bedrooms, one of them (can use a single) and modern bathroom. Lot 50x120. Fruit and ornamental trees. Low price. Terms. The basement is high, light and very dry. Price

$6500

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FAIRFIELD—2 YEARS OLD

Five-room beautiful stucco bungalow in excellent condition. Hardwood floors in living-room and dining-room, cream and ivory kitchen, with plenty of cupboards, large bedrooms, modern bathroom. Full cement basement, furnace, hot water heating. Lot 50x120. Fruit trees. Terms. Price

$8500

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Teachers Play Problem Roles At Discussion

Members of the Saanich Teachers' Association held a combined social and business meeting in Terry's dining-room Friday evening. Feature of the entertainment was a program by the "Four Country Gentlemen"—Cliff Gunderton, Ivan Green, Frank Spooner and Archie Bain. The teachers social convener, Larry Miller, led the group in a community sing-song.

Following routine business and reports, the group discussed typical parent-pupil, teacher-parent and pupil-teacher problems as found in District #3. Typical parent reactions to the monthly report card; differences in the learning ability and behavior of twins; the relative values of successful school achievement through family and home life, problem cases in highway safety education and procedures for good discipline were matters occupying most of the evening. School incidents were re-enacted with members of the group assuming pupil roles. Following the acting of the situation, members of the group joined in discussing solutions. General conveners for the program were Miss E. McCormick and N. E. West.

D. E. Brechenridge presided

Tides at Victoria

DEC. DECEMBER

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21	2 11	5.8	3 55	5.3	3 58	5.0
22	3 00	5.7	4 43	5.2	4 46	5.1
23	3 49	5.6	5 31	5.1	5 34	5.2
24	4 38	5.4	6 19	5.0	6 22	5.3
25	5 27	5.2	7 07	4.9	7 10	5.4
26	6 16	5.0	7 55	4.8	7 58	5.4
27	7 05	4.8	8 43	4.7	8 46	5.4
28	7 54	4.6	9 31	4.6	9 34	5.3
29	8 43	4.5	10 19	4.5	10 22	5.2
30	9 32	4.4	11 07	4.4	11 10	5.1
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The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th meridian west longitude. It is brought into use at midnight high water nearest ten meridian. Where blanks occur in the table, the next time or both constituents during intervening times between the high and low water are given. The heights are measured from the datum of tide tables to conform with the datum of soundings on the charts of the locality.

Angling Thief Steals Purse

Victoria's notorious "fishing pole" thief didn't need his tackle for this one.

Late Friday night entry was made into the bedroom of Mrs. A. Perkins, 205, Burnside Road, while she was in another part of the house.

A purse containing $17 and personal papers was taken from a dresser near the window.

According to police reports the window was unlocked.

Ripley's—Believe It or Not!

OPTICAL ILLUSION BOTH SETTEE-BANKS ARE THE SAME LENGTH

"REX" German Shepherd dog ALWAYS WENT BOX THE BOX WITHOUT BEING REMINDED AND BUTTONED IT HOME IN OR A MILE EVERY DAY FOR 9 YEARS

Submitted by Theodore Cirtin Portland, Ore.

THE ONLY MAN IN ASIA WHO IS FORBIDDEN TO PRAY

KING SOBHAN MANGRAI of Lagkaki, India PRONOUNCED HIMSELF TYRANNICALLY DEAD 20 YEARS AGO!

SAM SHARRES

Submitted by Mrs. Irma Cole Philadelphia, Pa.

HAPPILY, LIVES ON IN A TWENTIETH MONASTERY—

BUT THE CLERGY PONDER, BECAUSE UNDER HIS TENUOUS STATUS HE REMAINS TO DO, NOW, HIS ALLOTTED THIRTY-FIVE YEARS. (Rev. Mr. Sobhan Mangrai, the "dead" man, is now 55.)

ALL YESTERDAY'S ITEMS HELF-EXPLANATORY

Please Address All Queries to Cartoonist Ripley, c/o King Features, New York City, N.Y.

Culbertson on Bridge

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When a player opens the bidding with a sound one no-trump, he should rarely take further aggressive action on his own hook. Having already announced his top-card and distributional features to partner, he should let the latter take over from there even in the matter of penalty doubles. West in the following deal tried to cover too much territory.

West, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable

NORTH
♠ K
♥ A K 7 4
♦ K Q 6 4 3
♣ 5 5 6

WEST
♠ A 10 7 5
♥ J 10 6
♦ A 10 9
♣ A Q 10

EAST
♠ E 2
♥ 9 8 6 3 2
♦ 8 6
♣ 7 4 3 2

SOUTH
♠ Q J 5 8 4 3
♥ Q
♦ J 2 7
♣ K J 8

The bidding

West	North	East	South
1 N.T.	Pass	Pass	2 ♣
Double	Redouble	Pass	Pass

North's redouble of two spades, with only the singleton king-in partner's suit, may appear to have been a "hurry" action, but actually it was both alarmed and scared. After all, South had entered the auction at the two-level when vulnerable and presumably had a pretty good suit. Thus, the king was an excellent middlepiece card, and North's strength in the red suits was impressive.

East, nevertheless, was not very pleased with the situation, but he was afraid that a pursuit to three hearts might be very costly, and he had some hope that West would be able to take six tricks against redoubled single-handed.

West himself might have reconsidered his position and made the best of a bad bargain by bidding two no-trump—thus, by simple logic demanding that East show his best suit—but apparently West was determined to stand by his guns.

West led the jack of hearts. South won with the queen and led a low spade. West decided to duck. South discarded two clubs on the high hearts, then led a diamond to the jack. West took his ace and shifted to the ace and queen of clubs, but South of course ruffed.

The final outcome was that West took only two spade tricks; one diamond and one club and that North-South collected 340 points below the line, 400 points above and the rubber bonus.

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THERE OUGHTA BE A LAW!

By Fagaly and Shorten

England Draws Cricket Match In Queensland

TOOWOOMBA, Australia, Dec. 8 (Reuters)—England drew its two-day cricket match with a Queensland team here today after an exhibition of carefree hitting.

The English side, which scored 328 for six wickets declared in the first innings, put out the Queensland team for 220—England declined to enforce the follow on but batted again in deference to the wishes of the home captain who wanted the local crowd to have a second chance of seeing the tourists in action.

England rattled up 294 for seven in quick time before declaring a few minutes before the close. There was not enough time left for the Queensland side to start its second innings. It was the eighth draw of the England team's tour.

The second test match opens at Melbourne, December 22

Ex-Golden Boy Still Retains Ability to Hit

Sammy May, Golden Boy in the 1948 Daily Colonist Vancouver Island Golden Gloves Tournament, showed that he still packs a wallop when he scored a second-round T.K.O. over John Thermier of the Victoria City Police Club in the feature middleweight bout at Alberni Friday night.

The nine-bout card, presented by the Alberni Athletic Club before a packed house, featured three Victoria and three Vancouver boxers.

Del Mobell of the Vancouver Diamond Athletic Club defeated Johnny Walker of Alberni in the four-round main event. Larry Montgomery and Gordie McGaw of the Westminster Boxing Club dropped close decisions to Alberni boxers. Billy Hamilton and Wangler, respectively

Billy Knowles of the City Police Club is arranging a stellar card to be presented at the Prince Robert House on Boxing Day.

New Device To Be Tried By Fencers

CHICAGO Dec 8 (INS)—Fencing, one of the oldest sports in history, is going electrical now.

Previously, fencers, painted the ends of their dueling swords so that a red mark would be left when a touch was scored.

However, when the Amateur Fencers League of America sponsors its open competition for rare duelists at the University of Chicago tomorrow the weapons will—for the first time—be wired electrically.

A button will be fastened on the ends of the blades and this will relay a touch to the director's box. The new device is said to be accurate up to 1 25th of a second on contact between duellists.

Table Tennis Upset Scored By Art Ngai

Art Ngai pulled a startling upset in the Victoria Table Tennis Association's club tournament finals by capturing the Men's Singles title from his brother Eddie last night at the Strathcona Hotel Clubroom. Eddie is holder of the Western Men's Championship.

The scores of the match were 21-23, 21-18, 12-21, 21-12, and 21-18. Ngai teamed up with George Clark, co-holder of last year's doubles title, to take the crown by scores of 21-18, 14-21, 21-14 and 21-17, against Eddie and Roy Lewis.

Nancy Cran, Western Canadian champion, retained the club's women's crown by defeating Val Drone 21-16, 21-16, and 21-17. She teamed with her husband Neal to take the mixed doubles honors from Mrs Drone and Bill MacGregor by scores of 22-20, 21-23, 21-14 and 21-15

Rees Barnes promising junior player captured two titles last night, both from Jack Woods. Thus very the Senior "B" in which he won 24-26, 21-19 and 21-16 and the junior singles 21-7 21-15, 20-22 and 21-18

CHICAGO, Dec. 8 (AP) — Willie Hoppe, 63, world's three-cushion billiard champion, tonight turned back the challenge of Joe Chambers, Mexico City, by winning the final game of the 20-block match, 50-35 in 29 innings. Hoppe registered 1,000 points to Chamaco's 873.

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First-place Fishermen Co-Ops stand an excellent chance of increasing a two-point lead over Douglas Tire. The Co-Ops meet Civil Service, who are at present sharing the cellar with Gideonsville, at 8.30 p.m. and the Firemen tangle with rugged Navy at 7 p.m. The middle match of the three-game card, to be played at 8.30 p.m., will be between Capitals and Meteors

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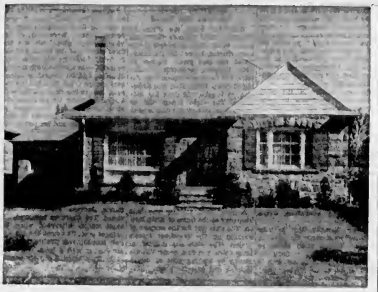

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GET COMPETENT ADVICE

Don't let the "before" appearance of your attic scare you. Call in your material supply dealer or your contractor and get his advice. He may suggest the enlargement of a window at the gable end which may make unnecessary a dormer, or he may have ideas about enlarging a gabled dormer into a shed dormer for added light. He can help you plan your room arrangement. He can help you devise ways to utilize the space behind the perpendicular panels for all the storage you need. Or he may suggest the segregation of one part of the attic for moth-proof closets, and the remainder for living.

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The new insulating panels can be utilized in their natural colors, or they can be painted any color you wish. Thanks to the ingenuity of manufacturers, the joints between boards can now be practically disguised. They will effectively seal out dust, wind and noise, and look attractive as well. Adequate attic insulation can reduce your fuel bill as high as 30 per cent.

Because attic rooms are far from the main parts of your home you can afford your less conservative decorative ideas. You can have those flaming colors there, if you like. And the remoteness from the hurly burly of living can also make such rooms a priceless retreat. A comfortable chair, a table, a lamp and a shelf of books can make any attic room a paradise for noise-harrassed housewives or tired businessmen.

HONORED

LONDON (CP)—Bruce Smith, head keeper at Regent's Park Zoo, has received a bronze medal for his work in looking after a baby polar bear, believed the only one ever reared in captivity.

Symptoms Due to Acidosis

By DR. J. B. WARREN

You may find yourself feeling tired, have a half-sick feeling in stomach, and no desire for food. You skip one or two meals, perhaps take a dose of epsom salts and feel all right again. This condition is called acidosis, not because the blood and tissues are in an acid condition, but because they are nearly in an acid condition—less alkaline than there should be.

Treatment is to eat more alkaline foods—vegetables and fruits—and less acid foods—meat, eggs and fish. Intake of baking soda, two or three times a day, may help.

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Fine Music and Acting Make Concert Success

By LOWRIE MORLEY
Victoria High School

Soft lights, beautiful music and inspired acting combined to make the Christmas concert at Victoria High School an outstanding success. Many delightful numbers such as "Deck the Halls," "The Wassailing Song," and "Pass Three o'Clock," were sung by the various groups. "O Holy Night" was sung with much feeling by Bill Ritcliffe.

The audience enthusiastically joined the choral group in singing "O Come All Ye Faithful," "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," "The First Noel," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," and "Silent Night," with the school orchestra providing the accompaniment.

Candy sales at the concert were handled by the Hi-Y Girls who are trying to raise money for the auditorium curtain fund. Rosemary Leonard, Hi-Y president, is busy thinking up other ways to raise the required amount. Next on the list of projects is a noon-hour dance.

HUSH-HUSH PLANS

Many Hi-Y members have been seen mysteriously gathering in corners animatedly discussing a big project for next term, commonly called "Operation Hush Hush." This tremendous undertaking which includes both the boys' and girls' clubs, is a secretary going to be a most hilarious event. Judging from the number of chuckles

Miss Gibson's long list of catchy names for the Christmas dance on the 16th, "Rich Kissing" was the contest. Evelyn Donnelly, Division I, who suggested the name, won two free tickets to the dance as a reward. Many protested that the name was too juvenile, but the majority agreed that it was more in keeping with the Yuletide spirit than last year's "Starlight Prom."

Oak Bay edged Vic High to a 3-2 victory behind the goal of the three-game series for The Colonist Cup at Beacon Hill Park, Wednesday, second game was played, ending in a 3-2 tie.

In the last basketball game of the season, Bellingham will play Vic High Saturday night.

On the grass hockey front, Oradie Cup challenged the rest of the school, the game ending in a 3-3 tie.

EXAMINATIONS NEAR

Utter frustration and blank bewilderment are seen on many faces There is a reason for this—examinations are on December 14. Much of the bewilderment stems from the delusion that the school year should have been learned two months ago.

Teen Tastes In Clothes

By DELORES LAVOIE

Christmas dances are in the offing in close not the dress in grand style at the local high schools, and next to graduation, these are the most important school dances of the year. Semi-formal dress is in order for most of these occasions, and fashionistas's eyes are turning to the high-style concoctions of velvet, nylon sheer and net that are leading the fashion parade.

One new feature is the plain sheath dress, sometimes in satin, often in velvet, set off with a scooped - out neckline, plain or framed with a wide collar, tiny sleeves and a straight skirt. For variety, dress it up with a band of contrasting satin ribbon tied, ends dangling, around your middle, with an artificial flower at the vent, with a group of tiny, sparkling pins. Or if you're the gal who likes to "run things up on the sewing machine," why not whip up a flimsy matching overskirt to transform your basic sheath into a bewitching dance dress?

Another versatile item in your "dress-up" wardrobe is the velvet or corduroy jumper, often styled so that it can be worn by itself for dancing and partying, or with a blouse for less formal affairs. Some of these jumpers have a halter top, and a "cover-up" jacket in matching or contrasting fabric.

A different version of the sheath dress is the separate low-necked blouse and straight skirt in the same fabric, to mix 'n match with other separates. Scalloped edges, round or sat-bottomed, framing a neckline and repeated on brief sleeves and pockets, are a favourite trimming on blouses.

Pearls and rhinestones deck the favorite jewelry of the voguish miss, with pearls, single or multiple strand, and scrolled velvet chokers perfect for dressing up a low-necked party dress.

While his feminine counterpart is caught in a whirl of velvet and net and rhinestones, the mighty male finds that semi-formal attire for him means a plain dark suit, so nobody blames him if his tie and socks are a bit of Christmas cheer to them. Knitted wool ties in solid colors matched up with socks in the same shade are a nice touch.

Present Plays

PARKSVILLE, Dec. 8.—"High-hearted Chair" and "Overlaid," sweet plays, will be presented by Parksville Players' Drama Club in the Community Hall at 8 p.m. Tuesday. Mrs. Eileen Alexander and A. J. Forrester will be directors. An orchestra will be in attendance

Committee Busy

White Will Predominate At Esquimalt "Snowball"

By KITTY DIXON
Esquimalt High School

"Snowball" being the theme of Esquimalt High School's Christmas dance, white will predominate in the color scheme, livened by the traditional red and green. Strings of white balloons, representing snowballs, will be strung across the ceiling of Fraser Street Hall, and silver-garbed boughs will deck the balconies. The eight pillars will be transformed into giant white candles, with red lights behind them to represent the flames. The bandstand will be decked with boughs and holly, and of course, there will be a blanket of snowballs. The decoration committee, under the direction of L. A. Anderson, consists of Trevor Jessen, Frank Leslie, Jeanne McKay, Jean Spedding and Ted Saunders.

PLAN PROJECT

A girls' Hi-Y meeting was held Thursday at the home of Kitty Dixon. The girls met for the purpose of working on the December service project. The club has decided to bring Christmas to a needy Victoria family by making gifts of caught clothing and toys for them.

Dockers, Esquimalt's entry in the inter-high basketball league, dropped a thrilling 42-34 encounter with the Victoria High gym. This was the first meeting of the teams and the Dockers, who are looking better every time out, were always within striking distance, and on several occasions held the lead. Ted Saunders left the game late in the final quarter with a sprained ankle. Cordie Jones and Mack Cunningham, two rookies of the squad, showed promise as they dumped in nine and six points, respectively.

JUPITER WINS

The second game of the inter-high series of the year, played Tuesday, Jupiter scored an 8-3 victory over a weak Reginald Cole on the rainsoaked pitch. Jupiter took an early lead when Vic Pry fell on a fumble behind the Neptune line. Harris Jackson successfully converted. Ted Saunders narrowed the score shortly afterward when he plunged over. He missed the conversion. Ron Edwards cinched the game for Jupiter with a second-half kick, Jackson's attempted convert missed by inches.

Mount View Students, Staff Enjoy Concert

By GAILE GILMOUR and VALERIE MOCKFORD
Mount View High School

On Thursday afternoon the students and teachers enjoyed a special good assembly in charge of Warren Cunningham. We all had a good time to these entertaining periods, which are entirely voluntary on the part of the students. A few brief words of introduction, council president Bing Wright turned the show over to master of ceremonies Warren Cunningham. There were two very enjoyable piano selections by Rosie Smith and Dorothy Sullivan. The Hungarian Rhapsody No. 6, was played as a duet by Wayne Halstead and Jerry Wise of Christmas fame, presented by Bill Fletcher and Doug Park was very well received by the audience. Following this, the Mount View's newly formed string orchestra played three short selections. This trio consisted of John Nelson and Sterling Knudsen, violins, Margaret McNeill, cello, and accompanist Wilfred Yule. "The Twelve Song" sung by Sheryl Cole and Elinor Thompson ended the program

Friday after attend. the girls' Hi-Y presented something new in the history of Mount View—a "Penny Carnival." There were games of skill, fortune-telling stall, pop and doughnuts, and even a chamber of horrors. Mount View's auditorium, with all its gaiety and fun, resembled for a short time a midway. Students from the surrounding elementary schools were given a special invitation and, with the splendid cooperation of the Mount View students, the carnival was a tremendous success

The deciding game between the senior and junior basketball teams was played during the week. Stiff competition was expected, as the teams had previously won one game each. However, the older boys played the better game and the final score was 3-2 for the senior team.

An inter-house boys' basketball series was played off last week at school. The Cascadia House team was the winner, the latter team also they beat the opposing Selkirk team, 39-16.

Student council president Bing Singh announced that the Christmas dance will be held on Tuesday, December 16. It is to be a semi-formal affair with Ted Somerset's orchestra providing the music.

A special Christmas edition of the school paper will be issued by Bertie Scaff. Instead of the usual six pages, this edition will be ten pages, all full of special Christmas stories, poems and features. It will be ready for sale to the students by Wednesday noon.

How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON
THAT WORD "SALIENT"

This military "salient" is in the news again, and some readers will be surprised to learn that this is only one of the world's meanings.

Because its use in military operations is the most familiar to the average reader, we are apt to think of "salient" as first of all a forward or special position in the line of battle.

"Salient" derives from a form of "salire," which is to leap. Sir Thomas Browne alluded to "frogs and salient animals" he brought out this essential sense of springing or leaping. And from this sense arose the idea of a forward position, the projecting one. And there you have the physical aspect of the military salient as an area of activity.

The implications of Browne in such a sector also are an outgrowth of the word's origin. The expression "to leap" which is at its source (not its vitality) is "salient." In leaping or sallying, living spring of generous and manly action."

So the military salient is indeed more than an area in the mathematical sense of this word; it comes in its very nature into the meaning of an area of action.

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Mt. Douglas Yule Exams Start Soon

By JOYCE JOHNSON
Mount Douglas High School

The main topic of conversation at Mount Douglas last week was, of course, the coming examinations which begin Thursday. The students are looking forward to their Christmas holidays but realize that they must go through four days of examinations first.

Under the sponsorship of the Boys' Hi-Y the Toy Dance held in the auditorium on Friday proved very successful. A large hamper of toys and a sum of money was collected for the children at the Orphanage. Dancing commenced after the second period in the afternoon and those who did not attend studied in their classrooms. Many students turned up with toys. Ted Johnston was master of ceremonies.

The race for polnie to win school colors has begun this year. A point is awarded to each student for every inter-high and inter-house game in which he or she participates. They are also awarded a point for each short-story and poetry contests, and to those taking part in the house concert. Eight points are awarded for sports, and given sixth each year to the 11 boys and 11 girls with the highest number of points.

The senior girls so far are: P. Erwin, 14, P. Pitt-Brooke 13, D. Blake 13, M. Laubach 13, L. Walker 12, J. Johnston 12, and K. McKay 12.

The leading boys are: T. Johnson 14, R. Stallings 13, R. Lum 13, D. Glass 13, W. Beecroft 13, and J. Ball 12.

Our junior girls' basketball team came up with their first victory this year by downing Victoria High Blacks 26-16. Verna Hearn who scored up 13 points was top scorer for Mount Douglas.

On the ping-pong tables this week, Fraser's senior boys defeated Douglas 6-0, and Skeena 6-3.

In the junior girls' league, Fraser defeated Douglas 6-3. Verna Hearn was all four of her games.

Present house standings are Skeena, 88; Fraser, 63, and Douglas, 60

St. Ann's Busy With Exams, Sport, Concert

By NANCY BURDETT
St. Ann's Academy

Always a busy time, the approaching Christmastide has brought renewed activity among the sisters and students.

The main project around school these days (besides Christmas exams) is final preparation for the annual Christmas concert. From the tiny tots in Grades 1 and II to the senior high school students, all are generously devoting their recesses and noon hours to practices. The concert is to be presented on Thursday and Friday, December 14 and 15. Tickets are available at the school or from the high school students.

TEACHERS LOSE

The academy's interest in sports has not wavered with the bells and tinsel of Christmas. Tuesday, December 5, saw a well-played set of badminton games between our girls and those of the Provincial Normal School. The outcome was 22-16 for St. Ann's.

Saturday morning bowling proved exciting when competition for ten mixed teams from St. Ann's and St. Louis. "The Bearer"—winning team to date—is holding top position in spite of stiff competition.

December 8 saw a well-organized skating party at the arena. About 400 students from the Junior and St. Louis turned out to share the fun and the bumps.

As in former years the various classes are collecting Christmas hampers for the needy. Gifts are laid out in the last but the other grades will not be left behind in their efforts to spread Christmas cheer.

Ayrshire Club Merits Praise From Duncan

DUNCAN, Dec. 8.—Officers elected at the annual meeting of the Cowichan Ayrshire Club at Cassidy Legion Hall were Charles Wells, president; Ernest Hayes and A. Stevenson, Cowichan Station, vice-presidents; D. C. Dickson, secretary-treasurer; K. G. Scott, Hillbank, J. Tryon, Parkside, John Rose, Duncan; D. Hayes, Duncan; and Mrs. W. T. Thomson, Alberni, directors.

F. O. Alderney, a representative of the Cowichan Agricultural Society and Duncan Chamber of Commerce, praised club members for their excellent exhibit of Ayrshire cattle at this annual fair. Oliver Wells, Sardis, spoke on important factors in the breeding of cattle.

Mr. Tryon and Mr. Hayes were elected to represent the Island on the B.C. Ayrshire Association executive. Mr. Stevenson and Mr. Hayes will represent Ayrshire cattle at Cowichan Agricultural Society meetings.

The financial statement showed receipts of $1,476, a balance of $81 77 on hand, and a contribution of $200 made to the Canadian Ayrshire Building Fund. A report noted there were 40 breeders of Ayrshire cattle on the Island, compared with four in 1925.

ROOM CENTRE

The Rockmer sector accounted for 50 per cent of oil wells drilled in Alberta in 1950.

BURNS' TOWN

Dumfries, Scottish county town associated with Robert Burns, will hold an arts festival in 1951.

Furniture Plant Visited By North Saanich Class

By BARBARA MacCONNACHIE
North Saanich High School

Last Thursday the Grade XI boys' Industrial arts class visited the Pacific Furniture Company. The trip was sponsored by the Sidney Rotary Club and the boys were under the direction of N. E. West, Industrial arts instructor at North Saanich.

Mr. Foreman, supervisor of the plant, showed the boys how the rough core of the wood material, which was principally alder, was kiln-dried, and how an almost veneer was applied to the wood to finish it. Most of the articles under construction are to be sold for Christmas. They watched the construction of the furniture from be-ginning to end, including planing, jointing, sanding and the final veneering. Altogether the trip was very interesting and the students who went all picked up good pointers on wood-working. The group is indebted to the Sidney Rotary and E. Vickerman and D. E. Bieckenridge for supplying the transportation to and from Victoria.

MUSEUM VISIT

The Biology class also went to Victoria this week where they visited the museum to hear Dr. Hardy lecture on the "Transition of Water Plants to Land Plants." His talk covered much of the work which the class had just concluded and they found his ideas helped to give them a new insight into their course. Following his lecture, Dr. Hardy showed the students various models of fungi and mushrooms, indicating the stages of reproduction and development. The group enjoyed itself and learned a great deal from Dr. Hardy's answers to the numerous questions.

This week featured the arrival of our school hats or "dinks" as the students have fondly nicknamed them. These are in styles in the same head gear. The first are the dinks, which are little blue and white beanies with a small peak in the front on which the student's name can be embroidered. The second, also in blue and white, represents the Pi Kappa Alpha colors, are slightly more conservative. They are more like a beret but with a little brim around the edge which can be pulled down to cover one's cold ears. The crests for the members of the Student Council have arrived, but the council is still awaiting the arrival of the school sweaters, and hats which are now on order.

CARDS POPULAR

Another task for the council members this week has been filling the orders for the school Christmas cards. On the front of the card is an attractive sketch of North Saanich High with the school crest stamped on the cover. As the cards are very popular again this year it will be almost impossible to obtain them unless they were previously ordered.

LONG STRETCH

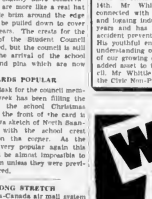
The trans-Canada air mail system stretches 800 miles from St. John's, Nfld., to Victoria.

Two basketball games were played against Mount Newton this week. The first, played at Pat Bay between junior girls teams ended in a tie-all tie. The second, played at North Saanich, gave Mount Newton an 8-14 victory. Yvette Swift scored six points for North Saanich and Jackie MacConnachie got two points. Dorothy Scott played a good game for Mount Newton.

In the inter-house games, the Industrial arts group resulted in a 16-5 win for the Whites. Mary Sheppy scored six points for the Whites and Enid Cuthbert took three for the Blues. The senior girls' game ended with a score of 10-9 in favor of the Whites and the senior boys' game was 22-15 for the Blue House.

Only one soccer game was played this week and it was against Mount Newton. The game was played at Pat Bay and the final score ended in a one-all draw

CANDIDATE FOR ALDERMAN



Roy Whittle, who is well known in Victoria, is offering his services to the citizens as candidate for alderman in the Civic Elections of December 16th. Mr Whittle has been connected with the lumbering and leasing industry in recent years and has been active in accident prevention campaigns. His youthful energy and keen understanding of the problems said of our growing city will be an added asset to the City Council. Mr Whittle is endorsed by the Civic Non-Partisan League

"Operation II" Success

Oak Bay XI High Champions; Win Colonist Cup in Close Series

By GAIL O'MEARA
Oak Bay High School

Last week has been "Soccer" week for Oak Bay High School as the Colonist Cup play-offs absolutely overshadowed all other activities. The enthusiasm reached a crescendo at approximately 4.30 p.m. Friday afternoon when the whistle sounded to end the final game at 0-0, giving our Oak Bay boys the highly-prized Colonist Cup. The three-game series against Victoria High School was tied all the way through, and a terrific brand of soccer was played. Oak Bay, with one win and two draws, are now the champions of Greater Victoria Inter-high school soccer. Oak Bay's goalie, Laurie Veitch, did a great job in all the games and particularly in the final. Dick Pollard won the admiration of everyone. A great job was done by all!

BIG "PEP" MEET

In the middle of "soccer" week on Wednesday, the day of the second game, a "Pep" meeting was held at noon in the auditorium. The O.B.H.S. cheer leaders Carole Webber, Rae Rendall, Don Rapanos and Al Thackray led the assembled students — incidentally the largest crowd at a "Pep" meeting for years —through the cheers and the new "O.B.H.S. Victory March" composed by Marguerite Fairfull. As a climax, Walter Young conducted a "fashion show" the charming models were the members of the soccer team. Their respective footsteps were long absent one to mention, but all were astonishing, to say the least.

After weeks of "propaganda," "Operation II" was finally unveiled for the student body as a Junior Red Cross money-raiser in aid of the Veterans' Hospital. It was decided that this year Oak Bay's Junior Red Cross would donate $25 to help buy 400 handkerchiefs for the veterans. This is in place of the usual candy-filled Dixie cups at the Christmas remembrance. Of the $65, $20 was to be taken from the Red Cross treasury, leaving $35 to be raised by the students. This is where "Operation II" came in. Following the idea of the Community Chest's "Operation Penlight," the money was collected on Thursday morning at 8 a.m. by the Red Cross class representatives. With 100 per cent results from each of the 11 divisions, the $35 objective was reached, and "Operation II" was definitely a success.

Archaeologists Fear

Power Projects Threat To Old Indian Villages

A big power project on the Mainland is threatening the destruction of hundreds of ancient British Columbia Indian villages

The Provincial Government will be asked by a group of archaeologists to prevent the destruction of these sites before scientific data can be collected. They will also ask the Government to amend the Preservation of Historic Objects Act in order to control the sale of antiquated objects outside the province

Chief concern lies in the proposed power projects to make a large part of the Chilcotin and Nechako Rivers, and eventually the Fraser itself, into huge power reservoirs. Result of this move will be to raise the level of the water and flood hundreds of historic Indian sites lining the banks of the rivers and lakes.

Headed by Dr. Charles E. Borden, U.B.C. archaeologist, the scientists are anxious to raise funds for research on these sites.

Concern about the future of these sites has been voiced by American scientists as they believe that the answer to many archaeological problems is to be found in this province.

Wilson Duff, Provincial Museum anthropologist, stressed the need for stricter supervision of old Indian village because, he said, souvenir hunters and industrial expansion were destroying the only records of the pre-history of the province.

Seeks Listing Of Campsites

The B.C. Historical Society will soon circulate printed forms throughout the province asking for information about old Indian campsites.

The society is seeking to tabulate all historic sites to aid the University of British Columbia and the Provincial Museum in archaeological research.

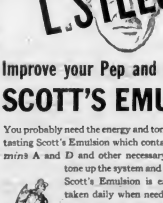
The forms will be sent to teachers, lawyers, doctors and any persons interested in ancient history of B.C.

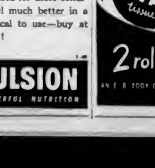
The society feels that if the sites are listed, it will be a measure of protection from souvenir hunters and amateur collectors.

Normal School Stages Dance

The Provincial Normal School Christmas dance was held Friday evening in the school auditorium. Len Acres' Orchestra played from 9 to 12 p.m.

Pop and doughnuts were served free.





Work Starts This Week on City Dental Clinic

Work on what is believed to be the only building of its kind in Victoria will commence this week. Birley, Wade & Stockdill, local architects, have finished plans for a new $18,000 building that will be constructed by Farmer Construction Company Limited. It will be new one-story, fully modern building that will be used for specialized work in dental surgery, according to Dr. B. F. Miles.

It will be located on Courtney Street between Blanshard and Douglas Streets.

Naval Reservists Pitch, Roll in Gale On "Ideal" Training Cruise to Seattle

NEWS OF THE SERVICES

BY TREVOR COLLINS

Wartime blackout darkened the reserve navy training ship Sault Ste. Marie as she sailed from Esquimalt harbor Friday on a night training exercise in the Strait of Juan de Fuca.

The ship, with more than 80 reserve and active force personnel aboard, ploughed through stormy seas at reduced speed while officers from H.M.C.S. Malahat practiced navigation and ship handling through weather that at times tested their training to the limit.

IDEAL TRAINING

It was an ideal training cruise, according to Lieut.-Cmdr. A. K. Webster, commanding officer of the ship. The cruise left Esquimalt harbor under clear skies shortly after 3 p.m. The weather deteriorated soon afterwards and gale force winds, heavy rain and reduced visibility made the night exercise a sure test of seamanship.

After rolling and pitching for eight hours and bucking heavy tides in the strait, the reserve officers finally arrived at Point Wilson in Puget Sound dead on schedule.

At ten knots the ship crawled south along the Sound dodging freighters and other heavy traffic to arrive at Seattle at 8 a.m.

GREETED AT SEATTLE

United States naval officials were on hand at the pierhead to greet the Canadian visitors as immigration officials cleared the ship.

Personnel aboard were given shore leave and immediately headed to town on a Christmas present buying spree. Watches aboard the ship were broken up to allow all the men ashore.

The Sault Ste. Marie will leave Seattle at 10 a.m. today on the return voyage.

Minesweeping, action stations, boat drill and another navigation exercise will be carried out on the northern trip.

The ship is scheduled to arrive in Victoria at 8 p.m.

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RETURN TO SEA

A quiet soft-spoken naval engineer who more than 30 years' service aboard destroyers, battleships and heavy cruisers of the Royal Navy last week gave up civilian life to return to the sea.

He is 45-year-old Lieut. C. H. R. Davis of 760 Newport Avenue, Oak Bay, who will use his naval experience to help train members of the reserve navy from H.M.C.S. Malahat.

Lieut. Davis retired from the Royal Navy and decided to move to Victoria with his wife and three children. The move wasn't just a whim on his part. His wife, born in Victoria, decided she would like to return home.

She met Lieut. Davis when he visited this port in 1944. Wedding bells changed the name of the former Miss Patricia Hudson to Mrs. Davis in England two years later.

And then the World War broke out and her sailor husband was in the thick of the fighting. He was torpedoed in the Mediterranean in 1942 while serving aboard H.M.S. Partridge.

WENT DOWN QUICKLY

"The ship went down in about eight minutes," Lieut. Davis said, "and we had about 60 men."

He spent about an hour in the water before being picked up by another destroyer.

Lieut. Davis has made himself at home aboard the training ship Sault Ste. Marie and is "getting the feel" of the engine room in preparation for a heavy training schedule.

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LETTERS DELAYED

Improper and frequently sketchy addresses appearing on mail addressed to Canadian Special Force soldiers at Fort Lewis, Wash., has resulted in delay of some 2,000 letters which are at present undelivered at the Army post office.

Failure to include the name of the soldier's unit is the greatest error of Special Force mail going astray, the Army postmaster said.

He had other words of advice for relatives and friends of men stationed at Fort Lewis.

"Write," he urged, "and write often. Mail from home is the greatest morale booster Canadian soldiers of this big American base can have."

Correct address for troops stationed at Fort Lewis is:

Regimental number, rank and name; name of unit; C.A.P.O. 2,000; care of Postmaster; Vancouver, B.C.

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FLASHBACK

Eleven years ago, on Christmas day, 1939, more than 7,000 members of Canada's armed forces were welcomed into almost as many English homes for one of many Christmasses they were to spend overseas. They had arrived in Great Britain only a week before. That year, too, Christmas was celebrated by thousands of troops at sea in troop transports.

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TEN NEW RECRUITS

The 40th Technical Squadron, R.C.E.M.E. is one unit in the Bay Street Armory that is not suffering from recruiting problems.

Ten men who recently joined the unit, according to Major P. C. R. Brown, sommanding officer, are: P. W. Pitt, R. C. George, F. H. Lanter, R. L. Leong, R. R. Parlow, E. Ruttan, E. A. Thompson, J. C. McDonald, S. C. Pace and E. J. Seymour.

The commanding officer also announced that a bugle and drum band is now in the process of being organized.

"We are respecting the instruments in a few days," he declared.

Recent promotions in the unit include the following:

Promoted from sergeant to W.O.2, A. Booth and H. B. Smith; from corporal to sergeant, D. McNab and J. D. Waterston; and to corporal, F. S. Arthur, L. L. Toby, W. Burton, H. R. Newcombe, G. V. Smith and L. E. Smith.

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LATEST EQUIPMENT

The latest type of long range coastal artillery range - finding equipment will soon be installed in the Bay Street Armory for the training of officers and men of the 5th (B.C.) Coast Regiment, R.C.A.

When the equipment arrives it will be assigned to "A" Battery of the unit, commanded by Major R. J. Weir.

MAJOR R. J. WEIR

He is one of the officers of the regiment who has been trained and is familiar with the use of the range-finding equipment.

Major Weir joined the 5th (B.C.) Coast Regiment at the outbreak of the World War. He served overseas and was later posted to Little Mountain, Vancouver, as personnel officer.

He is the great-grandson of Robert de Vere Weir who arrived in Victoria in 1852 aboard the ship Norman Morrison. Major Weir was educated at Metchosin Public School and Victoria High School.

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TO RECEIVE CERTIFICATES

Four officers of the Canadian Scottish Regiment (Princess Mary's) will receive qualification certificates at a parade Monday night at the Bay Street Armory.

They are Lieut. J. E. Gregson, Lieut. A. G. Stewart, Lieut. F. A. Yry and Capt. S. A. Digby.

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TO PRESENT CLASPS

Lieut.-Col. W. J. Mossdale, commanding officer of the Canadian Scottish, yesterday requested all ranks to turn out for the pre-Christmas pay parade to be held Monday night.

After the parade he will present the first and second class clasps to the Canadian Efficiency Medal to Sgt. G. C. Shepherd. The clasps represent more than 24 years' service in the Canadian Army for Sgt. Shepherd.

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WEEK'S PARADES

The following is a list of parades that will be held in the Greater Victoria area this week:

No. 5 G.O.S.

Tuesday—1945 hours: Parade and roll call at Bay Street Armoury. Training film, detachment training on radar, radio, and plotting.

Friday—3000 hours: Pay parade. All ranks must attend to draw annual training pay. 2030 hours: Officers and N.C.O.'s courses. Convention on military law and orderly room "mock-up."

40th Technical Squadron

Tuesday—1945 hours: Parade at Bay Street Armoury; dress, roll call order. Pay parade.

Junior Sea Cadets

Wednesday—1915 hours: Ship's company will parade at Sea Cadet Barracks. Duty division will be Halifax, duty signalman, Cadet Fred McFadden; duty quartermaster and messenger, Cadet Ray Bryant; and duty leading seaman, Cadet Allan Webb.

5th (B.C.) Coast Regiment, R.C.A.

Tuesday—1950 hours: Parade and roll call, Bay Street Armoury. 2000 hours: Lecture. 2130 hours: Battery parade.

75th (B.C.) H.A.A. Regiment, R.C.A.

Monday—2000 hours: Regimental Driving School at Armoury.

Tuesday—2000 hours: Band practice at Armoury.

Wednesday — 2000 hours: 155th Battery pay parade at Armoury.

Thursday—2000 hours: 156th Battery pay parade at Patricia Bay.

Friday—2000 hours: R.H.Qs. 160th Battery and Band pay parade at Bay Street Armoury.

8th Area Signals Squadron

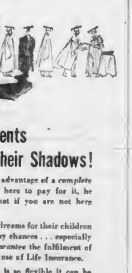
Monday—1645 hours: Parade at West Point Barracks.

15th Field Amb'ulance, R.C.A.M.C.

Tuesday—2000 hours: Parade at Armoury. Training as per syllabus.

46th Field Sanitary Section, R.C.A.M.C.

Tuesday—2000 hours: Parade at Armoury. Training as per syllabus.



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Winnipeg Has "Boys' Town"

WINNIPEG, Dec. 9 (CP)—Winnipeg has its "boys' town." Seventy-five "citizens," between 13 and 17 years old, elect their mayor and councillors and meet every Monday night in the basement of St. Matthew's Anglican Church.

For five cents weekly, they can play basketball, floor hockey and table tennis and pound the punching bags.

Supervisor Ed Dick, who has been in youth work 13 years, says three major aims of boy's town are good sportsmanship, organized athletics and closer relationship between the boys and the church.

BIG INCREASE

Freight traffic on Australian railroads has increased by 80 per cent since 1939.

A $1,000,000 hospital for workers has been completed at La Ciudad in Venezuela.

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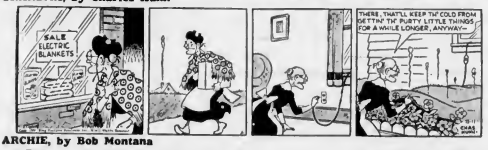

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MARY WORTH'S FAMILY, by Dale Allen

JOHNNY HAZARD, by Frank Robbins

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MUTT AND JEFF, by Bud Fisher

ROY ROGERS, King of the Cowboys, by Al McKinson

PENNY, by Harry Haenigsen

Nanaimo Pilot Pays Visit to Rock of Gibraltar

Plane from H.M.C.S. Magnificent, aircraft carrier, used Gibraltar Air Field during visit of Canadian Special Service Squadron to British fortress. Lieut. Vincent Murphy, R.C.N., Nanaimo, of 19th Carrier Air Group, is shown above at left chatting by plane with Lieut. Jacques Cose, R.C.N. Montreal. Rock of Gibraltar is in background. Murphy made flights over Gibraltar, Spain, North Africa, and parts of Mediterranean Sea and Atlantic Ocean.

Nanaimo Ratepayers Awaiting Word On Action to Extend City's Borders

By J. R. AYRES
Colonist Staff Reporter

NANAIMO, Dec. 9 — Nanaimo ratepayers are eagerly awaiting, along with ratepayers of Brechin and Harewood, the answer to the $64 question: What action is the Nanaimo City Council planning to take on the extension of the city limits?

The answer comes up Monday night, according to Mayor Earle C. Westwood. Following a committee meeting held Monday night, the mayor declined to make known what had been discussed, but added that a report would be given the ratepayers at next Monday's council meeting.

Nanaimo ratepayers, in a referendum at the last municipal election, voted overwhelmingly in favor of extending the city limits. The vote was taken after an extensive campaign by the Chamber of Commerce and passed by an 80 per cent majority in a 75 per cent ratepayer vote.

ENGINEER SURVEYS

In February, Frederick C. Stewart, consulting engineer, took a survey of the entire water district at the request of the City Council. Mr. Stewart's survey took in all the land between Wellington and Chase River.

He found that the present source of water supply at the south fork of the Nanaimo River capable not only of supplying the present area but of supplying the area for all time. The present supply main is a concrete pipeline from the south fork to No. 1 reservoir, is too small, he said, to service the city and the outlying districts of Harewood and Brechin. The pipe is 16 inches in diameter at the south fork dam, reduced to 14 inches at Extension Summit and eight inches where it enters the reservoir.

As a result of his finding, he recommended a new main of 20 inches which would be sufficient to carry 50,000 gallons. The present main carries 15,000 gallons.

SOLE SOURCE

He also recommended that the South Park be the sole source of water supply so that Nanaimo, Brechin, Harewood, Northfield, Quarter Way, East Wellington, Chase River and Departure Bay be eventually served.

Mr. Stewart suggested that a second supply main be installed from the South Park dam to operate under full pressure from the dam.

Two alternatives faced the city and the outlying districts if either of these recommendations were to be acted upon.

First, Nanaimo city could finance the project independently by extending its city limits to increase its borrowing power.

As a second choice, Mr. Stewart pointed out, by creation of a Greater Nanaimo Water Board the group could control the supply of water and wholesale it to each component part of the board. Each area would be responsible for its own distribution. Total cost of installing the new main, and only the new main, was set at $2,500,000.

Mr. Stewart favored amalgamation as the solution to the problem.

Questioned today as to whether the present water system in Nanaimo would hold up under the full pressure Mr. Stewart mentioned in his report, City Clerk Harold Rickwood said there would be no doubt about the local mains standing up. The pressure, he said, would be broken down at No. 1 reservoir to the event of amalgamation said Mr. Hackwood, the coal would be distributed throughout the number of consumers. Although the number of water users within the city is double that of consumers outside the city limits, the future rate would be equal throughout.

If the water board was formed then the city could sell its water works to the board and operate its own distribution.

Should the ratepayers of Brechin and Harewood decide to stay out of amalgamation and either stay as districts or become separate municipalities, then on top of the cost of the water board pipeline they would have to foot the bill for their own distribution systems.

Advertise City

LADYSMITH, Dec. 8—Ladysmith Chamber of Commerce letterheads will bear the statement, "Ladysmith is on the East Coast of Vancouver Island at the 48th parallel," according to Harvey Wallace, president. Mr. Wallace announced that O. O. Windline, secretary of North Oyster Ratepayers' Association, would attend future Chamber of Commerce meetings.

Ladies Boost Fund

LADYSMITH, Dec. 8 — Mrs. Robert Duncan won a 25-pound turkey donated by Ivan Wright at a contest staged by two sewing clubs in aid of Ladysmith Welfare Fund. Arrangements were in charge of Mrs. S. Chalmers, Mrs. Jessie Beattie and Mrs. Florence Gourlay. The clubs contributed a total of $134 to the city fund.

Weather Forecasts

East Coast of Vancouver Island — Cloudy and mild, with showers near the Mainland mountains. Light winds. Monday outlook — cloudy and less mild.

West Coast of Vancouver Island — Cloudy and mild with occasional light rain or drizzle. Light winds. Monday outlook —less mild.

Branch Stages Show at Port

PORT ALBERNI, Dec. 8. — Four children appeared on the second show of the second quarter of the Canadian Legion talent opportunity contest series in Legion Hall. Eva Jenkins was declared the winner after a tie with Thomas Cordell.

Eva sang the well-known Christmas hymn "Come All Ye Faithful," while Thomas contributed as his selection "That Lucky Old Sun."

The applausometer showed the tie-in is in, and they returned to the stage to sing it off, with Eva being declared the winner in a very close decision.

June and Mildred Ringwald sang as a duet "May You Never Be Alone Like Me," while Robert Pierce contributed "Chattanoogo Shoe Shine Boy" on the piano.

Neil Scory was master of ceremonies with Mrs. M. Power and Dr. Garnet Reynolds judges at the applausometer.

Honor Service

LADYSMITH, Dec. 9 — David Elder Victoria, presented pins for 20 years' service and over to the following members of Ladysmith Aerie No. 2021, Fraternal Order of Eagles: Mayor Leonard Ryan, Ald. Dr. A. T. Verchere, Robert B. Wood, J.P., Matthew Gilson, Edward Gregson, Alfred Mahle and Joseph Petrin. Thomas Michael won membership prizes, and R. D. Bowen, junior past president, received a tea service.

Arranges Talk

LADYSMITH, Dec 8—Hon William T. Straith, K.C., Minister of Education, will give an illustrated talk on his recent visit to the British Isles, during a meeting at the United Church Tuesday night.

South Saanich Discusses Fair Extension Proposal

SAANICHTON, Dec. 9—At the 52nd annual meeting of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society, Willard W. Mitchell, president, reported a successful year. Additions had been made to the horse and cattle barns, the hall had been repainted, and the horse show extended. He thanked all who had assisted.

Members took steps to investigate the advisability of developing the annual exhibition into a class "B" fair. If such a course were adopted the fair would be operated over a five or three-day period. The following were named a committee to report: A. Dorey, H. C. Robinson, Dr. S. F. Miles, A. W. Aylard, W. W. Mitchell, F. Wright, H. Brooks and Robert Godfrey.

To encourage interest among boys and girls in the farming and horticultural arts section, the society was presented with a silver plate by the Canadian Bank of Commerce. The trophy will be awarded annually to the boy or girl receiving the highest number of points for entries in the farming and horticultural arts sections. Entries will not include exhibits of school work. Winner of the new trophy this year was Miss Gillian Scott-Moncrieff.

GET MORE ENTRIES

Edward Oakes, fair secretary, noted there had been 2,704 entries at the last fair. Sections in which entries had been most numerous were school exhibits, candy, jam, flowers, fruit, vegetables, children's sports, rabbits and sheep.

Lieut.-Governor C. A. Wallace will be honorary patron for 1951. Mr. Mitchell was re-elected president, and Mr. Oakes, secretary-treasurer.

Those elected to the finance committee were Stuart Stoddart, H. Godfrey, Pat Hoole, A. Dorey, H. C. Robinson, H. Bickford, A. W. Aylard, Geo. T. Mitchell, Mrs. A. Dorey and Mrs. James Turner. George Munn and V. E. Virgin were named auditors. New directors added were Roy F. Lannon, A. Rothgordt, M. O. Mayhew, J. S. Birkhard, Alex. Hall, R. Stoddart, Ray Lannon and Thomas Mickell.

A sugar mill driven entirely by steam turbines directly geared to the rollers has been built at Sao Paulo, Brazil.

Hurt in Crash By Pulp Mill

PORT ALBERNI, Dec. 9 — Mrs. J. Gunn and Mrs. A. Young are in West Coast General Hospital suffering from painful injuries as the result of a train and automobile collision here shortly after 6 p.m. Friday.

The automobile, driven by E. J. Gunn, Alabaster Road, Alberni, collided with an E. & N. Railway passenger train inbound from Nanaimo at a crossing on the Island Highway near the Blondel, Stewart & Welch Co., Ltd., pulp mill.

The automobile was a total wreck.

Rites Tuesday

PARKSVILLE, Dec. 9 — Funeral services for the late Mrs. Clara Whitfield, 84, will be conducted by Rev. G. T. Pattison in St. Anne's Church, French Creek, at 2 p.m. Tuesday, with Mountain View Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Whitfield died at the home of her son, Clifford, on Saturday morning. She was born in England and had been a resident of British Columbia for 30 years. She is also survived by four sons, Ronald and Victor, Parksville; George, Vancouver, and Frederick, one daughter, Mrs. A. Thomas, Victoria, and 11 grandchildren.

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POEMS AND PLUGS

Come in & see my halo of hyperoxy.

GOODNESS COME EARLY!

With powdered nose I'sit & rock,
And read a book & watch the clock,
And pace the room & pray to see,
And listen for a step I know.
It's seven-thirty, then it's eight . . .
I tune the radio & wait.
Until I hear the door knob turn
And don my proper unconcern.
—Barbara Jones.

There's NO NEED TO RUSH down to our Warehouse for one of those ever-loving' studio lounges (Metal sime or green dynamite as we've got stacks of 'em. If however U need to get someone up for Christmas, then one of these & the crew McCoy, it wasn't how much?" but how low we could ring 'em. so $?? is all U need, with $18 for the general On display in the "Put-It-Up" Dept. on the 3rd. floor, ustreps 2.

What is it that makes the world go round . . ?

PUZZLE

If you can be away, when U are near,
And still be near when U are far away
Be silent when I long to hear U speak
And have me listen when I would not hear.
If you can make me cry when I would laugh
And have me laughing when I'd rather cry,
If you can regulate my every mood
Then tell there some lovely reason why?
—Edna Merlin.

I'd say they were nuts about one another. You'll be the same about the new model "Hi-mount" Aluminum Lawn Set. It has a sort of stairs dagerie, and is an all-round family suite covered in a lovely shade of green more, for ever-lasting beauty. See it . . . aren't you? It's in our No 1 spot right at the head of the stairs.

Nite letter.

FAITHFULLY YOURS

The stars are little pebbles flung,
Upon a trackless beach,
The moon is soft, the moon is young,
I search for you . . . I reach,
Across the purple infinite
Across the soundless sea,
Karping my lonely beacon lit,
To guide you home to me
—Alma Grey.

Has "she" been after you to buy her a "Tri-Lite"? you did so . . . as we are all set to fix up that sum situation with a purpose lamp for only $12 . . . all bulbs worth a buck & a half thrown in. The only catch . . . U gotta come & get it, take it away in your car for 12 smackers.

Yes it is.

FIRST LOVE

Above the stars hung clear & low,
And a young moon sailed the nite's dark sea.
I hid my hands that U might not know
The thing your nearness did to me.
I could not speak for fear I'd cry,
So like to pain was my delight,
I was so still . . . all I could hear,
Was my heart's wild, anxiously beat,
When your arms reached out & drew me near,
And your mouth was warm & young & sweet.

Tooths I am in love again with someone new.
Isn't it strange that I should be remembering you . . ?

*Well . . I guess that's the way it is sometimes . . . I wouldn't know. ** I do know it's a rudy crime to be squeezing plugs in here, amidst all this lovely sentiment, so maybe I won't tell U much about these Duncan Phyfe tables except to say they are made by "The Delisle House Co." & for down-right Quality-Value you think the best ever. See it YOU do!!!*

Remember on Winter evenings . . . popping corn . . . roasting apples . . . drinking tangy cider . . .

A WINTER EVENING

I love a Winter evening
With shades drawn tight,
A fireside chair & nearness
Relaxed closely in form nite.

I love a Winter evening,
Along where embers glow
While the wind outside
Whistles solidly . . . oooh!

I love a Winter evening,
Shadows dance to a phantom band,
Memories tiptoe noiselessly
Across the floor & HOLD MY HAND.

Guess that's it for now . . . come say as sometime. Bye.

Maurice, "Barley" & Bruce.

HUMBER'S

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Lieutenant-Governor Visits Sea Cadets

Photo

Lieutenant-Governor Clarence Wallace made an official visit to Sea Cadet headquarters at H.M.C.S. Rainbow, foot of Robert Street, Friday evening to inspect sailors of tomorrow and tour their classrooms. Approximately 150 members of junior and senior cadet organization turned out for ceremonial Cadet guard, pictured. In seen with Lieut. Arthur Dandie, acting commanding officer of senior cadet group. Junior Sea Cadet Corps, under command of Lieut. Gerald Bishop, is first of its kind organized in Canada, and is gaining recognition all across Dominion.

New Attempt to Find Sunken Tug Proposed; Yacht's Engine Sought

MARINE NEWS—

By RAY WORMALD

Another attempt will soon be made to find the 74-foot tug George McGregor which capsized near Trial Island with the loss of six Victoria men early on the morning of November 26 last year.

A source close to the parties involved, said yesterday that about two months ago a diver had gone down about 15 fathoms in the area in which the Victoria Tug Company's vessel is believed to have sunk.

The diver was able to remain on the sea bottom for only a few minutes, because of tide changes and sudden winds.

TREACHEROUS

Waters near Trial Island are constantly treacherous, except during short slack water periods immediately before a rise or fall of the tide. Even then wind conditions are often dangerous.

Another attempt to locate the lost craft may be made sometime before Christmas.

Eighteen-year-old Gerald Anderson, of 844 Oswlfe's Avenue, was the sole survivor of the tug's seven-man crew. No trace was ever found of the missing six, who included the master, John Mason.

In an inquiry held into the disaster by the Federal Department of Transport, the local tug company was absolved of blame.

Meanwhile, it was also learned that Victoria divers G. H. Lonsdale and John Daley will be operating a short distance off the Victoria Golf Course today if weather is suitable.

SEEK ENGINE

They will be searching for the engine and other equipment of the 52-foot pleasure craft, Discovery Isle, which sank some distance off southern slopes of the golf course late last Tuesday afternoon.

The China-built vessel was a complete loss. Her housing, decks and planking were washed up onto nearby beaches. Practically all of the wreckage was picked up by Victorians who visited the scene the next day.

Joseph Roberts Gale, engineer of the Discovery Isle, disappeared shortly after he and Major Ernest O. Beaumont—owner of the craft—had abandoned the vessel. The small rowboat, in which they escaped was swamped almost immediately in heavy seas. No trace of the engineer has been found.

Maj. Beaumont was taken to the Royal Jubilee Hospital after stumbling about 50 yards in rocks a short distance offshore. He is still in the hospital. The 76-year-old Discovery Island resident suffered leg injuries, cuts about the hands and arms, and severe shock.

Mrs. Gale, wife of the missing 64-year-old engineer, is reported to have left Discovery Island, where she and her husband had been living since last August, and returned to Vancouver.

SPRING-CLEANING

Some 1,500 workmen, including painters, shipwrights, sealers, plumbers, joiners, boilermakers, upholsterers and polishers are renewed brightness of the Cunard vessel Queen Mary. The ship is now ready for the thousands of passengers she will carry next year, including visitors from this continent who will cross the Atlantic for the great Festival of Britain.

The 81,000-ton liner was at Southampton for her annual five-week overhaul. She was scheduled to sail for New York yesterday.

All 26 of the Queen Mary's spacious public rooms have been springcleaned; 30,000 carpets and curtains were taken ashore for cleaning and 100,000 pieces of linen were laundered. French polishers worked over the valuable veneers in public rooms and cabins, upholsterers checked the ship's 10,000 pieces of furniture and electricians examined and made replacements among the 30,000 electric lamps and 400 electric motors in the liner.

While in drydock, the ship's four massive 22-ton propellers were given a thorough examination; her three 18-ton anchors with their 200 tons of chain cable—each link of which weighs two tons—have been surveyed, and some 2,000 gallons of paint were used for interior decoration.

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SHIP ORDERS

British shipbuilders expect to end 1950 with new orders totalling between 1.3 and 1.5 million tons if demands for new ships are sustained this month at their present high level. If these expectations are realized, reports the United Kingdom Information Office, new orders will be about treble last year's total which was 436,000 tons.

The shipbuilding industry at present has on order some 600 ships —half of them under construction, the other half yet to be laid down. This total represents more than two year's output at the present rate of working.

About half the total number of orders are for tankers, but in recent months there has been a continued improvement in the market for cargo liners and tramp ships.

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TOW TUG TO PORT

The Vancouver tug Erne was towed to Campbell River Friday afternoon after being found drifting helplessly in heavy seas off the southern tip of Quadra Island. It was believed her fuel lines had become fouled.

After receiving a call for assistance, the B.C.M.P. at Campbell River sent skipper William Christensen in the distressed tug aboard the B.C. Packers Ltd. packer Fairmaes. Crew members of the packer managed to get a line onto the Erne and she was taken to Campbell River for repairs. The tug resumed her journey Friday evening.

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ABANDONS SALVAGE

The United States Navy announced in San Francisco yesterday that it had abandoned plans to salvage the hospital ship Benevolence which sank off the Golden Gate, August 30.

The ship sank after a collision with the S. Mary Luckenbach and is lying in about 70 feet of water.

Navy officials said steps would be taken to remove the hull of the ship as it is a hazard to navigation.

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GILLNETTERS SINK

Two of three gillnetters ice-bound for three weeks in Kitnajuti Cove sank in Bella Coola harbor yesterday after a police boat towed them and their six rescued Indian crew members home.

The village of Bella Coola welcomed the six cold and hungry men home and in the excitement, no one thought to look after the boats, which were battered from crunching through 12-inch ice.

Two of them sank at the cannery wharf. They were owned by Joe Biwalla, 28, and his brother, Andy, 29, two of the rescued fishermen. The third craft remained afloat.

A 50-foot marine boat, PML 17 from the R.C.M.P. Ocean Falls Detachment, broke through ice on Thursday to the Indians, who had been without food since Monday.

The six had eaten 12 pounds of hard tack in the 14 days before Monday. They were cold and hungry when rescued, but in "good health and spirits."

Navy Supplied With List Of Vital War Sea Lanes

By TOM GREEN
Colonist Ottawa Correspondent

OTTAWA, Dec. 9—The Royal Canadian Navy has been furnished by the Federal Government with a complete list of "critical" strategic materials which Canada would be forced to import in large quantities in the event of a defence emergency, official sources disclosed tonight.

The Government was prompted to take such a precaution, it is indicated, as a consequence of the worsening situation in Korea with the increased threat of a third world war.

Should such an emergency arise, it would become the Navy's responsibility to keep open the sea lanes between Canada and the principal sources of supply, to the limit of its ability. These sea lanes are actually Canada's lifelines in the event of a conflict.

The strategic materials list, which is the latest most complete and authoritative to be made available here, includes numerous items considered "critical" by the United States as well.

The list follows.

Crude and scrap rubber, total annual procurement is 122,000,000 pounds of which 41.5 per cent comes from the United States which imports it in turn. Primary supply sources are British Malaya, Ceylon and other British Empire producers.

Wool (domestic production) accounts for 16.7 per cent of the Canadian supply. The rest comes from Britain and Eastern South Africa, Australia, New Zealand, India, South America and the United States.

Chrome ore: the bulk of Canada's supply—67.6 per cent—comes from the United States. Other sources of present supplies are domestic production 12 per cent), South Africa, India, Cuba, Portuguese East Africa and Southern Rhodesia.

Manganese ore: total Canadian procurement, 222,112 tons. Principal sources of supply, India and the Gold Coast. Canada imports more than 45 per cent of Madagascar ore required by the Canadian steel industry from the United States which, in turn, is completed in import 87 per cent of its requirements.

Tin: Canada produces 7.5 per cent of its requirements. Total procurement is 4,791 tons actually which comes from Malaya, Belgium, the United States, which in turn obtains most of its requirements from Bolivia.

Cordage and rope: total annual procurement is 51,578 tons. About 29 per cent of Canada's needs are imported from United States and Mexico. Other important suppliers are South Africa, Central America, the Philippines, British West Africa, West Indies, Netherlands Indies, India, Britain and Europe.

SOUTH AMERICA

Petroleum: total Canadian procurement is 76,700,000 barrels. Domestic production provides about 10 per cent, the United States 50 per cent and South America 40 per cent.

Cobalt: Canadian annual procurement is 848,100 pounds, of which 81.8 per cent comes from Morocco and the rest from the United States.

Antimony ore: prior to the Mao regime, Canada received 62 per cent of its requirements from China and an additional 15.2 per cent from Hongkong. Other sources are in the United States and Belgium.

Vegetable oils. Canada uses 8,000 tons a year, principal suppliers are India, Nigeria, Belgian Congo, South America, United States and Mexico.

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Join the Rose Festival in Pasadena, California in the Pasadena Rose Parade and Rose Bowl Game New Year's Day. Visit Disneyland, Sea World, Knott's Berry Farm, world's most gorgeous flower gardens, the movie stars' side parts in the festival.

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Adult fare, Lethbridge to Los Angeles and return is $79.15 plus 5% Federal Tax.

Tour includes 4 days in Los Angeles, hotel, all tour transportation, seats in the Rose Bowl, Rose Parade, all sightseeing trips, admission to Disneyland, Knott's Berry Farm, Lawn Bowling, Elysian Park, Griffith Park, Hollywood Bowl, and an Parade night admission to the Rose Bowl, to Clubhouse Box in Tournament of Roses, at an extra $15.00 each.

Party fares can be arranged to start enroute in California if desired. For further information, see Canadian Pacific Railway and Canadian Motor Coach Agents, Ticket Office, Depot Building, Victoria, B.C.

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High December Traffic Toll Pointed Out by Chief of Police

December is the merriest month of the year, but it is the saddest, too, because December usually has the highest traffic toll of any month.

This warning came yesterday from Chief John Blackstock, who urged pedestrians and motorists to exercise extreme care during the festive season.

To motorists, Chief Blackstock had this to say:

POOR MIXERS

"December is probably the drinking month of the year. This is a good time to remind you not to think if you drive. Records show that one out of every five persons involved in fatal accidents had been drinking. Alcohol and gasoline just don't mix. So keep this thought in mind."

To the pedestrians, he said:

"Be especially careful when carrying parcels. Don't obscure your vision with Christmas packages. Look both ways, and for turning traffic before crossing the street. The driver may not see you because of Wintel's poorer visibility. So look up and look out. Don't lose your life by a couple of feet."

Posts Filled By Island Men

R. J. Pilberg of Comox and C. D. Orchard of Victoria, have been named trustees of the Western Forestry and Conservation Association, currently holding its 41st annual conference in San Francisco.

R. C. Smith, general manager of Bloedel, Stewart & Welch, was named first Vice-president, to round out an important British Columbia contribution to this prominent United States-Canadian organization.

Mr. Pilberg is an important executive in private logging and lumbering circles in the Province, and Mr. Orchard is British Columbia's deputy minister of lands and forests.

Announcements

Cancer, polio, diabetes and the common cold are only a few of the diseases which are no nearer being cured than in the days of the ancients. Pharaohs despite literally billions of experiments on animals. The only way to find cures for these scourges is to study sick people in centres devoted to each specific disease. Brilliant specialists in the medical world advocate this, but vivisection continues because it is financially profitable to those engaged in it. Help stamp out vivisection; tomorrow you or your children may be the victims of one of these diseases from which there is no escape, simply because medical research workers are too busy sliceing rats, alive and scalding dogs to death to bother with humanity. Investigate vivisection. Today animals are the victims, tomorrow it may be you!—(Canadian Anti-Vivisection Society.)

Old-Age Pensioners' Organization, Branch 2, will hold their monthly meeting on Wednesday, December 13, at 8 p.m. in the schoolroom of the Baptist Church, Fernwood and Gladstone, when arrangements will be announced regarding our Christmas dinner. All members wishing to attend, please hand in their names to our secretary. Also nominations will be taken for election of officers at our January meeting for 1951. A full attendance of members is requested.

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For a good time this New Year's Eve, Mr. and Mrs. Firth Jubb invite you to come to the Brentwood Auto Court party. Stay overnight in one of our de luxe bungalows that accommodates one or two couples. Supper midnight party with favors on New Year's Eve. Brunch and Dinner New Year's Day. For a couple all inclusive, $25. Make a real memorable week-end of it. For reservations phone Keating 4241.

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Arts Centre of Greater Victoria, gallery 823 Broughton Street, special opening "National Gallery Graphic Arts" exhibition. Public, members and students invited. Thurs 8 to 9 p.m., Tuesday, December 12. Speaker, Mr. Stuart Keate, publisher Victoria Daily Times. Gallery hours, 11 to 5:30, Tuesday through Saturday, and Saturday evening 7:30 to 8:30. Public 25c, members and students free.

Merry Christmas dinner in traditional Christmas setting, from noon, $1.50 up. Reserve your table now. Grand New Years Eve party and buffet. Fee as much as you want. Fun, favors and dancing, 9 p.m. to 4 a.m.; $4.00 per person. Tickets limited. Get your friends together and all alone and send out the old year with a gust of fun and merriment. Olde England Inn. G 6223.

Arrow Furniture Co. draw. We are pleased to announce the following as prize winners: Mrs. P. Blandby, 614 Dallas Rd.—Easy washing machine, number 58. Mrs. A. E. Newman, 3160 Kingsley St., electric blanket, number 1798. Mrs. A. Robertson, R.R. 5, McMorran Rd., trifle, number 882.

1950 Accident Toll

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS
(First figures show yearly total; second, total for last week.)

	Saanich Boundary	Victoria	Saanich	Oak Bay	Esquimalt
Killed	2 (0)	7 (0)	1 (0)	2 (0)	0 (0)
Injured		73 (4)	59 (2)	2 (0)	16 (0)
Written reports		910 (20)	226 (8)	37 (1)	56 (1)

CONVICTIONS

Careless driving	175 (4)	92 (5)	23 (0)	24 (2)	
Driving, intoxicated	58 (0)	7 (0)	9 (0)	0 (0)	
Exceeding speed limit	1,210 (18)	247 (2)	87 (2)	41 (0)	
Cars impounded	92 (0)	9 (0)	1 (0)	6 (0)	

Arrests for other than traffic offences, 1,000 (0).

Pedestrians killed, 2 (0); injured, 14 (0).

Cyclists killed, 1 (0); injured, 14 (0).

Children killed, 0 (0); injured, 2 (0).

Fatal accidents, 1 (0).

Injury accidents, 14 (0).

Property damage accidents, 45 (0).

Hit and run, 3 (0).

Cars stolen, 14 (0).

Cars recovered, 14 (0).

Open Three Days

Blood Transfusion Clinic Set at Red Cross House

The Red Cross Blood Transfusion Service will hold a three-day clinic at Red Cross House, 1046 Fort Street, December 14 to 16.

The clinic will be open from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. on the three days.

No clinic has been held in Victoria for more than three months and the continued support of those already on the panel, in addition to the constant supply of new donors, are an indispensable condition to the efficient function of the service, a Red Cross spokesman said yesterday.

Members of the Eagles' fraternity, United Commercial Travellers and the South Vancouver Island Rangers will attend the clinic here next week.

Bookings can be arranged at the clinic by phoning B 2218.

Yule Dinner Planned by 'Y'

The Y.M.C.A. will hold its annual Christmas dinner, December 20, and a skating trip to Nanaimo, December 29, as part of the holiday festivities.

Tickets are available at the "Y" for both these events.

The Sunday Evening Music Hour tonight at the "Y" will feature Sigmund Romberg's "Desert Song" and the music of Johann Strauss, by the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra.

Two movies—"Common Animals of the Woods" and "Ottawa on the River"—will also be included in the weekly music program.

Kootenay Boy Slain In Hunting Mishap

A hunting accident in the Kootenay district has taken the life of 15-year-old David Lloyd George, New Denver, B.C., R.C.M.P. headquarters reported yesterday.

The accident is being investigated.

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Uncle Wiggily Story - - - -

By Howard Garis

UNCLE WIGGILY'S TRUCK

Uncle Wiggily and his little rabbit boy, Buster, were hopping over the fields and through the woods. They were on their way to get a new football for Buster. He needed a new football because Uncle Wiggily had pumped too much air in the old ball and it had burst.

"Where are you going to buy the new football, Daddy?" asked Buster as he hopped along beside Mr Longears, his father.

"I am going to buy the new football at Uncle Butter's store," answered the jolly old rabbit, gentleman as he twinkled his pink nose.

"Does Uncle Butter sell footballs?" Buster asked.

"Oh, yes, he has just put in a new line of sporting goods. He sells football, snowshoes, skis, skates and sleds."

"That's fine," said Buster. "I bet Uncle Butter's footballs are not like his flavor cheese."

"What do you mean, Buster?" asked Uncle Wiggily as he jumped over a big oak leaf on the ground. "Why do you hope Uncle Butter's footballs are not like his flavor cheese?"

"Because, Daddy," the rabbit youngster answered, "Uncle Butter's flavor cheese is full of holes. And a football full of holes is no good."

"You are right, Buster," said Uncle Wiggily. This time he jumped over three oak leaves and a maple leaf. "But I am sure you will find that the footballs in Uncle Butter's store have only one hole. That is the hole where the air must be blown in. Now let's see how fast we can hop. We will have a little race to the old mulberry bush."

Uncle Wiggily hopped. Buster hopped. And Mr. Longears, being a bigger rabbit than was Buster, won the race to the old mulberry bush which was near Uncle Butter's store.

"You beat me Daddy," said Buster. "You beat me in the race to the old mulberry bush."

"Well, I suppose I did," said the daddy rabbit. "But then I am older and stronger than you. I should have given you a head start. Now we will go to Uncle Butter's store and buy the new football. What did you do with the old ball? I want to show it to Uncle Butter to get one as nearly like it as we can."

"Here is the old football," answered Buster and he took it from where he had tucked it into his belt. The old football had burst and had been blown as flat as a pancake with too much air from Uncle Wiggily's air pump. So Buster could very easily tuck the flat football under his belt where soldiers sometimes tuck their caps.

Uncle Wiggily took the old football, as flat as a pancake, from Buster and started to hop to Uncle Butter's store to buy a new ball. But, all of a sudden out from behind the mulberry bush, jumped Guffy the funny old bear.

"Where are you going" growled Guffy the bear.

"If you please I am going in Uncle Butter's store to buy a new football," answered Uncle Wiggily politely.

"Oh, no you are not" growled Guffy the bear. "You are not going in Uncle Butter's store until I play a trick on you."

"What trick are you going to play?" asked Uncle Wiggily.

"I am going to play the trick of tickling you with my claws and maybe, though I am not sure about it, I may scratch you just a little," growled Guffy the funny bear.

"Why do you want to play a tickling or scratching trick on me, Guffy?" asked Uncle Wiggily.

"Because you played a trick on me," growled Guffy. "You blew me up in the air when you blew up and burst Buster's football. Now I will play a trick on you." Guffy ran toward Uncle Wiggily. But the rabbit was not afraid. He ran toward Guffy and shouted:

"I am going to play a trick on you! Here it is!"

And I will tell you more about Uncle Wiggily's funny trick on Tuesday if the cash opener will please stop throwing sofa cushions at the clock and stopping the hands from going around.

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